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MORE THAN TWO MILLIONS INVOLVED IN STATE STREET CRASH

James F. Shaw & Company Receivership Said to Have Been Forced by Withdrawal of Eldredge's Support—Domestic Difficulties Lead to Financial Smash.

Attorney Arthur D. Hill was formally appointed receiver for James F. Shaw & Co., Incorporated, by Judge Lowell in the United States Circuit Court to-day. The liabilities are believed to aggregate about $1,000,000.

The failed corporation is headed by State Senator James F. Shaw of Manchester, who has been the largest promoter and builder of street railways in New England. Mr. Shaw and his father, Hon. E. P. Shaw, constructed the Boston & Worcester road, conceded to be the model of its kind in America. The office of the corporation is at No. 8 Congress street.

The application, for a receiver was made late Saturday night by John McLaughlin of Cumberland Hill, R. I., a dealer in poles, ties and other trolley supplies, who had furnished equipment for the Shaw roads. He holds a promissory note for $8,000, due March 26, 1908.

STATE STREET STARTLED.

The failure of the Shaw corporation surprised and startled State Street financiers. It is freely intimated that domestic difficulties of the Senator ade in some degree responsible. His father-in-law, G. Fisher Eldridge, the millionaire Portsmouth brewer, has been interested in many of the Shaw enterprises. Since the separation of Senator and Mrs. Shaw, Mr. Eldredge is supposed to have withdrawn his support from the Shaw deals.

Mrs. James F. Shaw and her daughter are now in California with Mr. and Mrs. Eldredge, it is reported that her son-in-law is shattered by the sensational incidents following her flight from her Worcester home to Portsmouth with her little child. Though Boston financiers are at a loss to understand the details of the situation, the general fear that trouble was impending when it was announced on Saturday that Senator Shaw had retired from the presidency of the Boston & Worcester Railroad and had been succeeded by former State Senator William M. Butler. Mr. Shaw stated that he wished to devote his attention to other business.

In the United States court to-day Receiver Hill gave bonds of $20,000. Gaspar G. Cox appeared as counsel for McLaughlin, and George W. Eatabrook represented Mrs. Shaw.

STATEMENT OF RECEIVERS.

The court ruled that the receiver shall have power to borrow money. He is authorized to intervene in and prosecute all claims and to defend all actions against the corporation. Mr. Hill issued the following statement soon after his appointment:

"In the Circuit Court of the United States Judge Lowell this morning appointed Arthur Dehon Hill receiver of James F. Shaw & co., Incorporated, a Massachusetts corporation.

"The appointment was made in the suit of John McLaughlin of Cumberland, R. I., against James F. Shaw & Co., Incorporated, and was made upon the ground, as stated in the decree, that the appointment of a receiver was necessary to preserve the property and assets of the company for the benefit of persons interested therein, and that if the present holders of collateral on the company's notes were to proceed to sell immediately, there was a danger that there would be a disproportionate sacrifice of the assets.

"An injunction is issued against any such sale and any interference with the company's property. It is believed that the debts of the company will amount to over $500,000, the greater part of which is on secured notes.

$2 PROMISSORY NOTES.

James F. Shaw & Company, Incorporated, had capital stock to the value of $500,000, according to the petition for a receiver. It is stated that the business was not being carried on at a profit, and that the petitioner, McLaughlin, held a promissory note for $8,000 due March 26, 1908.

McLaughlin claims in the petition that

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$9,324 AWARD IN CLAIRVOYANT CASE SUSTAINED

"Evidence of Scheme to Defraud," Says Supreme Justice in Decision.

The award of $9,324.91 given to Mrs. Georgiana J. Gurney, a Cambridge dressmaker, two years ago in the famous "spiritualist investment" case by a Middlesex Superior Court jury is sustained by a decision handed down by Judge Braley of the Supreme Judicial Bench and filed with the Clerk of Court at East Cambridge to-day.

The defendants in the case, John A. Tenney of Boston, John G. Robinson of Duxbury and Jennie K. B. Conant, a spiritualist of Kingston, now Mrs. Jennie K. D. Conant-Henderson, took exceptions from the Superior Court award. Judge Braley, in his ruling against the exceptions says: "There is evidence of a joint scheme to defraud the plaintiff."

Mrs. Gurney had sued to recover $6,000 and interest she had invested as result of a trance-reading by Mrs. Conant, in which the spiritualist recommended her placing money in the Continental Electric Company.

Mrs. Gurney alleged that in 1898 she went to Mrs. Conant to have her future told. Mrs. Conant went into a trance and told Mrs. Gurney, among other things, that the Continental Electri cCompany, just incorporated in Maine, had a splendid scheme for new electric lighting, was going to erect a factory, and was a fine investment.

Mrs. Gurney put $6,000 into the company, of which Tenney was a stockholder and Robinson treasurer. Mrs. Gurney said she found the scheme was a fraud. She brought suit for $10,000 in all, and, by Judge Braley's ruling to-day, recovers practically all she sought.

THE WEATHER.

Rain to-night. Tuesday, fair and colder during the evening and night. Fresh east to south winds, becoming west by Tuesday.

High tide, 10:55 a. m., 11:25 p. m.

Sun rises, 6:18 a. m.; sets, 5:35 p. m.

BULLETS FAIL TO HALT MAD DOG'S FIGHT

Charlestown Police Now Hunt St. Bernard That Escaped from Hospital.

The Charlestown police are searching for a vicious St. Bernard dog, feared to be suffering from rabies, which was last seen bounding across the Warren bridge in Immense leaps toward Charlestown after a Boston policeman and a veterinarian had vainly pursued him with revolver shots through the Boston North End.

This dog is owned by a Somerville man who brought the animal to Schenck's dog hospital at No. 5 Market street Sunday morning with request that the animal be painlessly killed, as he was vicious and dangerous.

Those in charge at the Schenck hospital wished to watch the dog for a day or two, so they tied him up in the hospital over last night. At 5 a. m. to-day Ge dog broke his tying-rope, jumped through a $100 plate-glass window into Market street and started away. He left a patch of hide on the jagged edges of the broken window.

Patrolman Lewis and an attendant at the hospital started after the dog at the same time. The attendant told Lewis the dog was dangerous, so both men drew revolvers, ready to take pot shots at the fleeing animal. They came in sight of the dog once or twice in the chase and fired at him, but did not hit him.

The dog easily outdistanced the men and made for the Warren bridge, which he started across at a terrific gait. Seeing their pursuit was futile, the men telephoned to the Charlestown police and gave up the chase from this side.

The Charlestown officers started out after the dog, but no report had been received of the animal being located. It is thought he may have retreated to some outhouse or other refuge.

DOCTORS ALARMED OVER BANNERMAN

LONDON, March 2.—Prime Minister Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is rallying very slowly from the relapse he suffered yesterday, and his physicians do not conceal the uneasiness they feel concerning him. It will be some time, the doctors say, before the patient will even be strong enough to leave on his contemplated trip to the continent.

PLOUGH INVENTOR DEAD.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 2.—James Oliver, founder of the largest plough works in the world, died at his home here to-day after a long illness. He gained fame by his invention of the "chilled" plough.

CHICAGO POLICE CHIEF VICTIM OF VENDETTA

STABBED WHILE FIGHTING ASSAILANTS; HIS SON AND DRIVER FATALLY WOUNDED.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, March 2.—Two unknown men, said to be members of the Black Hand society, called at the home of Chief of Police Shippey, No. 31 Lincoln place, shortly after 10 a. m. to-day. When George Shippey, the chief's son, answered their ring at the door they opened fire on him with revolvers. He dropped to the floor, fatally wounded.

Chief Shippey, ran into the hallway and grappled with one of the men. The other he shot dead. Before he could turn his revolver on the first man he was seriously stabbed in the side.

Attack Result of Vendetta.

The stranger then began firing. Chief Shippey's driver, Foley, ran into the hallway and was struck by a bullet and fatally injured.

The attempt on the life of the chief and his son caused great excitement. The police say that Shippey's activity against the Black Hand society, which has been operating with desperate disregard of the police, caused a vendetta to be sworn against him and his family.

When young Shippey appeared at the door, there was nothing to excite his suspicion. One of the men attempted to push past him into the hall. He barred the way. The other then drew a revolver from the outside pocket of his overcoat and fired twice. Both bullets struck the young man.

Slashed With Knife.

Foley, the driver, was awaiting Chief Shippey to drive him to his office, and Chief Shippey ran into the hall at the same time. As the chief reached the door one of the men slashed him twice with a long-bladed knife. While the chief was engaged with him the other fired on Foley, who dropped before he could shoot.

Chief Shippey then drew his revolver and shot the man who fired at Foley.

The driver and young Shippey were removed to the Augustana Hospital, where both are in a precarious condition. They are miraculous and surgeons hesitate to probe for bullets, fearing that the shock would prove fatal. They have small chance for recovery.

Immediately the police of the entire city were set to work to discover the source of the plot and round up further conspirators. It is regarded as certain that the lives of the entire Shippey family had been sworn away by the Black Hand members before the attempt was made to-day.

The assassin who was killed has not been identified. He is swarthy and resembles an Italian. He is about twenty-four years old, five feet six inches tall, and well dressed. Chief Shippey shot him five times.

Mayor Busse was notified of the shooting and immediately left his office and went to the Shippey home, accompanied by his bodyguard, Sergeant Michael Lentz. It is believed at the City Hall that the attack is the result of the recent anarchistic agitation in this city.

ROOSEVELT DENOUNCES JUDGE WILFLEY'S FOES

CORDIALLY APPROVES SECRETARY ROOT'S VINDICATION OF MAGISTRATE.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Vigorous denunciation of the men who are trying to impeach Judge C. R. Wilfley of St. Louis, Judge of the United States Circuit Court of China at Shanghai, is contained in a letter sent to-day by President Roosevelt to the House Judiciary Committee.

Accompanying the letter is a report from Secretary of State Root, to whom the original charges against Judge Wilfley were referred.

The secretary found that the charges were utterly unwarranted.

The motive of the charges, according to Secretary Root, was the feeblest and most cowardly manner in which Judge Wilfley cleaned up a certain class of "undesirables" in the American colony of the Chinese city, who had been bringing reproach on the good name of this country.

Instead of being dismissed from office, the secretary holds that the judge is entitled to commendation and high credit for the work he has done.

Following is President Roosevelt's letter to Secretary Root, forwarded to the House committee, to which has been referred Representative Waldo's resolution of impeachment:

"I have received and read your report of February 29 upon the charges submitted by Lorrin Andrews under date of November 18, 1907, against Judge Wilfley. It appearing from your report that Congressman Waldo stands sponsor for these charges, I cordially concur in your finding, which is to the effect that Judge Wilfley is not only innocent, but is attacked solely because of the fearlessness and integrity with which he has stamped out vice and crime in Shanghai.

"I enclose you a letter from Robert P. Lewis, secretary of the international committee of the Young Men's Christian Association, who has just returned from Shanghai, China, where he has resided for ten years as foreign secretary of the body.

"This letter is in line with the quotations contained in your report and the statements therein made in reference to the character and conduct of Judge Wilfley and his accusers are borne out by the statements of every reputable man, whether business man, missionary, government agent or representative of a philanthropic or religious body, who has written to me. It is clear that Judge Wilfley has been attacked, not because he has done evil, but because he has done good.

"The assault on him is simply an impeachment of decency and zeal for the public good, and if successful, would tend to encourage every honest public servant who dares to withstand the forces banded together for evil and would do grave damage to the honor and interest of our country in the Orient. If the attack were to succeed the benefactors would be every keeper of a house of prostitution, every swindling lawyer, every man who lives by blackmail and corruption in the cities of the far East.

"Those are the people whose hopes have been revived by the effort to overthrow this upright and fearless judge, who has already done so much for the good fame of America in China. It is not too much to say that this assault on Judge Wilfley is in the interest of vicious and criminal classes is a public scandal.

"I cordially approve you conclusions.

"Sincerely yours,

(Signed) "THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

LIGHT VOTE CAST IN TOWN ELECTIONS

Light voting marked the annual town elections in Winthrop and Revere to-day. There was but little interests shown in the two cities and most conference members considers tended to keep the voters at home.

The principal fight in the Revere elections centred around the office of selectman-at-large. Republican Keeping is a candidate for re-election, and he is opposed by Henry C. Clifford and William T. Brown, Independent candidates. Indications point to a close victory for present official.

For the two places on the water board Alfred S. Hall and Lemuel S. Washburn, the present incumbents, are opposed by Benjamin B Bewing and William H. Whipple.

In Winthrop the only contest is for the office of selectmen, where William Sandy, Brendon J. Keenan and Wesley A. Gove, candidates of the Town Government Association, are being opposed by James J. Carr, Elmer E. Dawson and Walter C. Thayer, Jr., candidates of the Citizens' party. A victory for the Town Government candidates seems assured.

$2,000,000 FIRE SET BY INCENDIARIES

NEW YORK, March 2.—New York City railway officials declared to-day that the fire which destroyed the car barns at 129th street and Second avenue and 705 cars, last night, causing a loss of $2,000,000, was of incendiary origin. This is the fourth barn of the Metropolitan line burned by firebugs within a year and a half.

Five blocks away, another blaze at the same time destroyed the big paint factory of George W. Grote & Co., at No. 439-439 East One Hundred and Second street.

Hundreds of tenement dwellers between the two flames rushed from their homes in scanty attire. To-day they were moving back into their water-soaked homes.

The bursting of rotten hose delayed the work of the firemen and prevented them from gaining control of the flames for hours, resulting in the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

MAYOR PLANS TO CUT THREE FAT SALARIES

Asks Board of Aldermen to Amend Ordinance to Make This Possible.

In a message sent to the Board of Aldermen to-day the Mayor asks that the ordinances be amended so as to fix the salary of the city treasurer at $6,000, that of the city auditor at $6,000 and that of the superintendent of bridges at $2,000. At present the city treasurer receives $8,280, the city auditor $7,500 and the superintendent of bridges $5,000.

Acting Sealer of Weights and Measures Thomas A. Mullen sent the following message in his annual report submitted to Mayor Hibbard to-day. The commission recommended that the salary of the sealer be cut from $3,000 to $2,500, but Mr. Mullen recommends that it be cut to $2,000 and that the head of the department be an active sealer.

He also recommends that the force of deputy sealers be reduced from ten to seven, and that the deputies be placed under civil service rules.

Acting Sealer Mullen suggests in his report that the Mayor seek the repeal of the law compelling the sealing of milk jars. Last year his department sealed 500,000 jars, the work keeping three men busy all the time.

RAILROADS MUST OBEY 9-HOUR LAW

Petitions for Extension of Time Denied by Interstate Board.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The Interstate Commerce Commission decided to-day by unanimous vote to deny all petitions for extension of time within which to comply with the nine-hour law for railroad men.

The reasons will be stated in a report which is now in course of preparation and will be announced within a few days.

The law, which limited the work of train dispatchers and telegraph operators on railroads to nine hours a day, will go into effect on Wednesday.

WELLMAN SUIT IS DISMISSED

The Supreme Court to-day dismissed the bill brought by George W. Anderson against the Metropolitan Stock Exchange to enforce liability against the estate of the late George S. Wellman, who was treasurer and director of the above concern in 1903. The late Edwin N. Thayer, it was declared, lost large sums of money while dealing with the concern, and Anderson brought suit to recover the money paid to the exchange, through Wellman, "without consideration."

Big James F. Shaw Corporation Put in Hands of Receiver

ARTHUR D. HILL NAMED TO TAKE OVER AFFAIRS OF RAILWAY CONCERN.

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the company is not able to meet the note. The defendant in its filed answer admits the allegation and statement of the plaintiff.

The Shaw Company have fifty-two promissory notes outstanding, valued at $700,976.75. There are six demand notes for a total of $161,300 already overdue, as well as fifteen time notes valued at $107,385.25.

Six notes are due in March at a value of $38,637; thirteen due in April next, valued at $276,500, and six notes due in May next, valued at $72,164.42.

From next June to January 31, 1909, there are six notes due, valued at $47,000.

There are twenty-three noted of the aggregate amount, valued at $133,101.75, which are entirely unencumbered.

There are twenty-three valued at $567,875, secured by collateral in the form of shares of stock, bonds and other securities. These are secured in whole or in part, and cannot be sold on the public stock exchange or in the other usual channels of quick sales.

Railway Not Affected.

Negotiations are under way for the sale of a substantial portion of the collateral at a price which will not only extinguish the secured indebtedness, but will also pay the unsecured creditors of the Shaw company the whole or a substantial portion of their claims. The creditors who hold these securities are threatening to dispose of them at a sacrifice price and at a consequent loss to the company.

Practically the only assets are equities and the securities mentioned, of an estimated value, according to the petition, of $880,000. It is to the interest of all that the business be continued, the petition states, and a writ of injunction was therefore asked to prevent Mr. Shaw and the officers of the company from interfering or disposing of the property of the Shaw Company.

It is said that the Boston & Worcester Railroad's business is in the way affected by to-day's receivership proceedings, and that the company's officials declare that it is in excellent financial condition.

Treasurer Butman of that road announces that it is in excellent condition, and that under Mr. Shaw's administration the company earned 17 per cent. more for the month of February than in the corresponding period last year.

Market Depression Blamed.

The following statement was given out regarding the affairs of the Shaw company:

"The receivership is necessitated by the general depression in the market value of securities held by the corporation, and this action is taken at this time by friendly interests to prevent the sale of these securities to the disadvantage of creditors. It is confidently expected that with the proper handling of the affairs of the corporation its assets can be disposed of in such a way that after liquidation there will be sufficient proceeds to leave a surplus after satisfying all creditors."

SHAWS NOTED AS RAILWAY BUILDERS

The organization of James F. Shaw & Company, incorporated, was the outgrowth of a long business partnership between former State Treasurer E. P. Shaw and his son, James F. Shaw. The younger man took up the work of the father in the management and construction of street railways. He became the head of the concern in 1895.

The building of the Boston & Worcester line, conceded to be one the model roads of the country, was the crowning achievement of Senator Shaw. The first trolley line was laid in Essex county through Haverhill, Amesbury and Gloucester. The Shaws next ran a trolley road connecting Wakefield, Stoneham, Reading and Arlington.

Overcome Many Obstacles.

The father and son then turned their attention to the promising field in Plymouth and Bristol counties and connections were made between Brockton and the outlying districts. The Boston & Worcester completed the flourishing trunk of Worcester, Natick and Framingham with Boston.

The Providence & Fall River Railroad was also constructed through the activity of the Shaws, and many others have been projected, all through the center of prosperous section and building they have had not only to surmount almost insurmountable grades, but to use the rare diplomacy needed to obtain the consent of the millionaire capitalists representing the established steam and trolley roads, working to prevent rights of ways and legislative sanction for their projects.

The story of the building of the Boston & Worcester is the history of Senator Shaw's personal triumph over the hardest of difficulties. The road is a monument not only to business ability, but to courage and mastery of mighty obstacles.

Planned to Renew Fight.

During the last session of the Legislature Senator Shaw worked indefatigably for his project to establish another high speed trolley line from Boston to Providence. He lost the battle, but the interests opposing him did not win, and when all was over he declared he would renew the fight this year.

James F. Shaw was born in 1873 at Newburyport.

For a number of years he has made his home at Manchester. He represented the third Essex district in the State Senate. He had been previously defeated by Sidney Sidell, but the latter quit the contest last year. His father, who served as State Treasurer, was one of the war horses of the Republican party, and the son received his training in the old schools of the party.

Edward P. Shaw is president of the Boston Suburban Express & Patrol company. He is a trustee of the Boston & Worcester Electric Company, director in the Boston & Worcester Street Railway company, president of the First National Bank of Newburyport, president of the Haverhill & Amesbury Street Railway company, president of the Salisbury Beach Improvement Company and the Salisbury Land & Improvement Company.

"Cruel and Ridiculous."

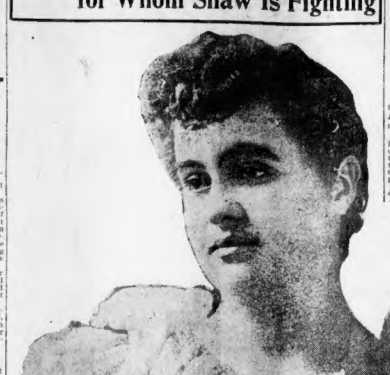
Society leaders here were very much astonished when Mrs. James F. Shaw left the home of her husband in Manchester-by-the-Sea and went with her boy to her father's Portsmouth home. Very little had been said of there being any infelicity on the part of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw. But that the breach was wide was assumed when it became known that the father was accused of attempting to take the boy away from his mother.

What Senator Shaw said about the kidnaping charge does not coincide with the statement Portsmouth police are said to have heard he made. Senator Shaw said: "I am not and never expect to be in the kidnaping business. What has been printed is cruel to me as well as being ridiculous. I have talked with no one over the telephone almost every day."

It is understood that Mr. Shaw had no objection to permitting the Senator to see his son until it was suspected that an attempt to kidnap the child had been made in Worcester. After suffering from the shock of that scare it was stated that the wife and mother said she would never consent to let the husband and father see the lad unless he was given the right to do so by the courts.

Nothing has been made public concerning the differences which led to the separation of Senator Shaw and his wife after twelve years of apparently happy connubial life. Friends had no little knowledge of the matter that they could only speculate as to the cause.

Wife of James F. Shaw, and Son for Whom Shaw Is Fighting



2 FIREMEN OVERCOME IN $5,000 FIRE

Two firemen were overcome by smoke to-day in the fire at the home of George A. Brackett, No. 40 Montrose street, almost opposite the Roxbury High School.

The firemen, Lieutenant Michael J. Boyle and Laddermen Daniel Daly, both of Engine 12, Dudley street, were fighting the brisk blaze up under the roof when they became enveloped in a cloud of smoke. Other firemen rescued them from their perilous position.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The damage will reach $5,000.

PRIEST SLAIN BY ANARCHIST LAID AT REST

PATERSON, N. J., March 2.—Thousands followed to-day the bearer which bore the body of the Rev. Father Leo Heinrichs, the Franciscan monk slain by an anarchist at the altar rail of his church in Denver, from the Church of St. Bona Ventura to the cemetery of the Holy Sepulchre.

For three years Father Heinrichs was pastor of the church from which his funeral was held, and all Paterson knew and loved him. Such was the throng that 5,000 failed to gain an entrance to the church and waited in the drenching rain outside.

LEET ADMITS MARRIAGES BY 'AGREEMENT'

Woman Called "Wife" for 25 Years, Though There Had Been No Ceremony.

Eugene F. Leet replied to 4 pleas for separate support made by Stella B. Seymour by testifying on the witness stand that they had lived together as husband and wife for nearly twenty-five years by a mutual agreement, without the authority of a marriage ceremony.

"I was never married to the woman," Leet said, "although it is true that we have lived together as man and wife since 1881 by mutual agreement."

In her suit the woman claims that she and Leet were married by a justice of the peace in Chicago in 1887.

The case is being heard before Judge Lawton in an East Cambridge court. Leet is a prominent Melrose citizen.

Introduced Her as Wife.

"I did introduce Stella to my relatives and friends as my wife," admitted Leet under cross-examination by Attorney Thomas W. Proctor, counsel for the complainant. "Still, I never married her, and no marriage record can be produced."

Leet was married on September 2, 1907, to Caroline Fairbank in Putnam, Conn., and is now living with her in Melrose. Attorney Proctor claimed that Leet, by that marriage, made himself a bigamist under the common law.

Testimony was introduced to show that Leet was divorced from his first wife, Georgianna Hayes, in Chicago in 1893. Before that, as Leet testified, he left Essex Junction, t, where he was then a hotel proprietor, with Stella Seymour, then seventeen years of age.

Brought Suit for $10,000.

One child was born to Leet and the respondent, although Leet admitted that he lived with her in Boston, Buffalo, Little Falls, N. Y., and Melrose. He testified that she was arrested in Coldwater, Mich., where he ran a hotel, for shooting at him. She fired at him after a quarrel over some servants, he stated, but the bullet did not injure him, having passed through his coat and been imbedded in the wall.

ober the woman filed a suit for $1 alleged breach of promise. La a petition for separa sup, cruel and abusive treatment and desertion.

SHAW CLOSETED WITH ATTORNEY

Senator Shaw was to-day closeted with his attorneys in his private office, at No. 8 Congress street. Beyond admitting that Mr. Melanuffin was a principal creditor of the company, holding a promissory note for $8,000, due March 26, 1908, he would say little regarding the receivership application.

Treasurer Butman declined to state the assets of the concern in detail, but said that they consisted almost entirely of securities in Massachusetts trolley lines. "I do not care to enumerate them," he said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter, "for it might cause distress to the companies concerned."

Neither President Shaw nor Treasurer Butman would discuss plans for the resumption of the Shaw corporation, nor state how heavily it was involved.

That there is a direct connection between the application for a receiver and the recent heavy selling of Boston & Worcester stock is declared by State street financiers, in view of the resignation of Mr. Shaw from the presidency last week.

"Who Owns the Road?"

With the shifting of large blocks of the stock arose rumors that both the New Haven and the Boston & Maine were trying to oust the Shaw interests and secure control of the Boston & Worcester. To-day they are eagerly asking, "Who owns the road?" Local financiers do not hesitate to say they think there was a well-defined movement on the part of large interests, possibly outside the State, to drive out the Shaws.

It has been hinted that Charles S. Mellen, feeling secure against all attempts on the part of Massachusetts officials to force him to disgorge the New Haven trolley holdings in the western part of the State, recently began buying the stock of the Boston & Worcester, to add it to his string of street railways. Another report declares ever presented, would give the Elevated company the right to exchange its charter as to buy up trolley lines all over Massachusetts, or even to take over the holdings of the trolley lines now held by the company. Financiers, however, doubt if the New Haven railroad people would seek the control of the road until after the Legislature adjourns, in view of the several anti-merger bills now pending and the aroused state of public opinion.

Morgan a Big Factor.

These men see more light on the situation in one of the two bills submitted on the Legislature on petition of President William A. Bancroft of the "L." This measure, regarded as the most radical disclosure ever presented, would give the Elevated company the right to exchange its charter as to buy up trolley lines all over Massachusetts, or even to take over the holdings of the trolley lines now held by the company. Financiers, however, doubt if the New Haven railroad people would seek the control of the road until after the Legislature adjourns, in view of the several anti-merger bills now pending and the aroused state of public opinion.

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CONTEST FOR SON STIRRED SOCIETY

State Senator James F. Shaw, who is going to make a desperate fight against the financial interests which are antagonistic to the street railway magnate and politician, is a man of great persistency and resource, and the adding of business difficulties to his domestic troubles has not apparently daunted the former president of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company in the least.

His differences with his wife obtained great publicity during the last week of last year, when an attempt to kidnap the ten-year-old son, Eldredge, was attributed to the Senator. The son was in the custody of his mother, who is the daughter of H. Fisher Eldredge, a millionaire brewer, residing in a magnificent home in Portsmouth, N. H.

It was a battle between men of millions for the possession of the child, for, according to reports, Senator Shaw's father-in-law was really the person who stood as the barrier between father and child. It was said that two attempts had been made to kidnap the boy. Senator Shaw has denied as denying that he had anything to do with the move, but the Portsmouth police stated that he had said:

"I will get my boy back at any cost."

Armed Guard for Boy.

It is said that on one occasion the band of would-be abductors numbered seven men.

The result was the placing of an armed guard around the Eldredge mansion. Once while Mr. Eldredge and the child were in Springfield it is said that the grandfather had just time to grab the boy and escape with him in an automobile. Warm suspicious looking men were seen lurking about the Eldredge estate in Portsmouth the police there at once took steps to guard the lad, and the strangers hurriedly disappeared.

The home where the child was kept under constant espionage is one of the most beautiful in America. It overlooks the Atlantic from one of the highest bluffs along on the New England coast and is so isolated that it is hard for any stranger to get near without being seen. The many lavish entertainments given at the Eldredge home have made it famous in society circles.

Another Summer home of the Eldredge family is at Chatham on Cape Cod, and it was there that Senator Shaw met Miss Nettie Eldredge, the eldest daughter of the brewer, who was to become his bride. The wedding was a much-heralded society event. The bride's father is one of the wealthiest men in New Hampshire.

Mr. Shaw has long been one of the street railway magnates of New England, and a Republican leader, representing an Essex district in the Massachusetts Senate. His father is former State Treasurer E. P. Shaw. Senator Shaw, besides being president of the Boston & Worcester line, was at the head of the Boston & Worcester Electric Company and a director of the Butler mills at New Bedford, the Citizens' Electric Railway company of Newburyport, the Malden Trust company, the New River Land Company and the Salisbury Beach Improvement Company.

FEAR FOR LIVES OF 101 ON OCEAN LINER ASHORE

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Thirty miles out of her course in a dense fog, the Red D liner Caracas, which took loadsmix in his room early to-day and is now dying at the Twin City Hospital. Darling is believed to have taken his life from disappointment in love.

He is a widower and he recently proposed to a pretty North Attleboro girl, who refused him. Since then he has been despondent and has attempted suicide several times.

Louis Wright, who roomed with Darling in the Oak Hall building, found Darling unconscious in bed when he reached the room early to-day. Dr. Richard, who was called, ordered the man removed to the hospital.

DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE, TAKES FATAL DRAUGHT

HILL A LEADER IN LAW AND POLITICS

Arthur D. Hill, just appointed receiver of James F. Shaw & Co., is senior partner of the law firm of Hill, Bangs, Barlow & Emmons of No. 53 State street.

He has long been prominent in politics, having been urged by the Republicans last year to seek the Republican nomination for district attorney. He declined to run. He took the stump in George A. Hibbard's campaign for Mayor, vigorously assailing the Fitzgerald administration.

Early last month Mayor Hibbard named Attorney Hill as orator for the Fourth of July exercises to be held in Faneuil Hall.

He is prominent in the work of the Boston Bar Association, and was counsel for the Massachusetts Institute of Technology after the "Tech" riot in November, 1901.

Mr. Hill is now acting as receiver for the American Insurance Company, having been appointed in January by Judge Morton of the Supreme Court.

He lives at No. 83 Mt. Vernon street, Boston.

BOY HELD IN SUICIDE CASE

Fifteen-year-old William Crossing, at whom Raphael Calibraise fired four pistol shots yesterday before his sensational suicide in the Charles River, was to-day held in $500 bonds by Judge Grover at Dedham on the technical charge of being a delinquent child. He would have been charged with an assault on the Italian who later lost his life, but the court held him entitled to the privileges of the Juvenile Court. In default of bail he is held in jail pending investigation of his case by Special Officer C. Fred Davis.

The boy had struck Calibraise with a club, it is charged, after a dispute on the ice over a bicycle. Then he started away, followed by the young Italian, who drew his revolver and fired four shots at the boy. The pursuer plunged into a hole in the thin ice, and as he was sinking turned the gun on himself and discharged a bullet into his own head.

VICTORY FOR NEWBURYPORT

The Supreme Court to-day handed down a decision whereby the exceptions of the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company are overruled and the city of Newburyport thereby scores a victory in a long-fought legal battle, being enabled to collect money from the company.

James V. Felker, former city treasurer and collector for Newburyport from 1883 to 1906, now serving time in the Charlestown State prison, defaulted with $86,000 cash of the city's money. It was found that Felker used part of that money to pay his personal debts, including premiums on life insurance carried by him in the Fidelity company. The city sued to recover from the company and was awarded $858.63.

ASKS TO ENJOIN LOAN COMPANY

Mary S. Smith, as guardian for Nathaniel S. Smith, a child of the late Nathaniel Smith was adjudged insane and committed to the Worcester Insane Hospital in February, 1907. The case will come up for a hearing in a week.

Mary S. Smith, as guardian for Nathaniel S. Smith, a child of the late Nathaniel Smith, asked for a temporary injunction against the Columbia Loan Company to restrain that concern from conveying or assigning their alleged interest in a house and land in Newton.

Nathaniel S. Smith was adjudged insane and committed to the Worcester Insane Hospital in February, 1907. The case will come up for a hearing in a week.

BISHOP DUNCAN DEAD.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., March 2.—Bishop Duncan of the Methodist Church, South, is dead at his home here.

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RAIL ROAD STRIKE IS PENDING

Workmen of New Haven Are Lined Up to Resist Piece Work System.

FORM NEW FEDERATION

Hundreds of new men stand to enter agreement to-day to resist to the utmost the proposed introduction on March 16 next of the piece work and bonus plan in the car shops of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad system.

The men, banded together to fight the proposed new plan of work include machinists, boilermakers, blacksmiths, steamfitters, painters, upholsterers, helpers and other workmen employed in the big chain of car shops on the New Haven system.

Men Threaten to Strike.

The men declare they will strike before they will put in the new plan. They say that they are never in better position to institute or conduct a prolonged strike, that the co-ordination of a man in their stand, and that they have thousands of dollars to back up their fight.

One of the cost and most bitter railroad strikes in the history of New England seems imminent.

The railroad company has announced that the new pay would surely go into effect on May 16.

This piecework and bonus plan is part of the general economy now being practiced on the New Haven road. Already a salary cut, begun yesterday, is in effect on the system, affecting thousands of employes. Those receiving from $1 to $3 a day have their pay cut five cents, those receiving over $3.00 get a ten per cent cut. The new plan for car shop work, however, is independent of this.

New England district councils of railroad car workers and of blacksmiths met yesterday in Boston and planned to resist the new plan.

A new intention of ten shop crafts was announced yesterday as having been formed, as a result it was practically agreed that machinists, boilermakers, blacksmiths, sheetmetal workers, helpers, upholsterers, car workers and helpers would act in co-operation on a strike on piece work and bonus system was put into effect.

Car Workers Take Action.

At the car workers' convention, held at No. 6 Eliot street yesterday, Edward Rowan, first vice-chief carman, of Kansas City; Benjamin F. Lewis of Memphis, and John H. Sullivan, third vice-carman, of Buffalo, international officers, co-operated, sent by the international executive board, which before New England would be the scene of trouble.

Hilton J. Dougherty, international organizer of the blacksmiths, who reported the formation of the shop crafts on Saturday, also told of an interview with Grand Tuttle of the Boston & Maine regarding the situation on lines and the closing of some of the shops.

Car and Locomotive Painters No. 328 have gone on record against the proposed piece work and bonus plan. The action was indorsed by Painters' District Council of Eastern Massachusetts yesterday.

Freight Handlers No. 80, employed by the Boston & Albany, will hold a special meeting next Sunday afternoon in Wells Memorial to take up the matter of a cut in wages.

Victory Over Erie Railroad.

A letter received to-day at the machinists' headquarters from Vice-President Walter Ames of the International Association of Machinists reports that the organization has won a victory against the piece work rates which an attempt is being made to force upon the machinists of the railroads of the United States.

Vice President Ames says that the Erie Railroad has taken its men back on the same basis the works will consult with the international on all questions concerning conditions and wages before putting them into effect.

SCHLITZ BEER WORLD FAMOUS

No other single article of American foreign commerce has the wide distribution of Schlitz beer. In Asia, Africa and among the islands of the sea it has made the name Milwaukee famous. African explorers have found Schlitz metal signs used for shields by the tribesmans of the far distant interior.

Hardly had Dewey entered Manila Bay when two hundred and nineteen cartloads of Schlitz beer left Milwaukee for the Philippines. It is advertised in China and Japan. It is on sale in Rome, the "Eternal City."

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Sample Millinery

Women's High-Class Untrimmed Hats, in black, brown, champagne and navy, hand-made on wire frame, made especially for early spring wear by one of the most prominent manufacturers of fine grade hats known, actually worth $1.98 to $2.49 each. *Sample Price*.....98c

Sample Lace Waists

Lace and Net Waists, silk lined, handsomely trimmed, cut and made in the very latest and best styles, assorted sizes. Positively worth $5.00, $6.75 and $7.50. *Sample Price*.....2.98

Others at 3.98 and 5.00. Worth 25% to 50% more.

Manufacturers' Great Sample Sale

Successful arrangements during the past two months with prominent Importers and Manufacturs throughout the country for their entire sample lines of Spring Merchandise enable us to offer, beginning Monday morning, the finest assoment of new goods we have ever bought, all of which we are able to sell at prices averaging from ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF LESS than if the same goods were bought in the regular way. Note and compare carefully the following listed values:

Sample Home Draperies

Cluny Lace Curtains (3 to 6-pair lots), white and arab on cable net. Value $3.00. *Sample Price*.....1.97

Cluny Curtains (3 to 6-pair lots), white and arab, on cable nets. Value $3.50. *Sample Price*.....2.50

Cross Stripe Madras Curtains. Value $1.00 a pair. *Sample Price*.....69c

Irish Point Lace Curtains (manufacturer's sample pairs) (3 to 6-pair lots). Value $4.00. *Sample Price*.....2.95

Scotch Lace Curtains (manufacturer's sample pairs) (3 to 6-pair lots). Value $2.00. *Sample Price*.....1.00

Fine Muslin Curtains (manufacturer's sample lots) finished with different styles of tucks, wide hemstitched ruffles. Value $1.00. *Sample Price*.....69c

Couch Covers (heavy velour), in red and green colors only. Value $6.50. *Sample Price*..3.69

Tapestry Table Covers (manufacturer's samples), 1¼ yards square. Value 75c. *Sample Price*.39c

Portieres, plain rep and plain armure centres, with woven tapestry borders. Value $5.00 and $6.50 a pair. *Sample Prices*.....2.98 and 3.98

Portieres, with new fancy binding on edge, all plain colors, similar to imported damask. Value $6.00 a pair. *Sample Price*.....3.98

Figured Silkoline and Cretonne, manufacturer's sample pieces (no duplicates). Value 15c and 20c per yard. *Sample Price*.....10c

Velour Table Scarfs (manufacturer's samples), used also as sewing machine covers, heavy tassels on each corner. Value $2.50 each. *Sample Price*.....1.49

Sample Handkerchiefs

Women's Handkerchiefs, all linen, lace trimmed and embroidered. Regular price 50c and 75c each. *Sample Price*.....25c

Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and scallloped edges. Regular price 25c and 37c each. *Sample Price*.....12½c

Women's Swiss Embroidered and Lace Trimmed Handkerchiefs. Regular price 12½c and 15c. *Sample Price*.....7c

Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all linen. Regular price 25c. *Sample Price*.....12½c

Sample Dress Linings

Italian Sateen, mill-end lengths, from 1 to 8 yards, fast black, 36 inches wide, very highly finished, worth 25c to 37½c yard. *Sample Price*.....16c

Lining Satins, 36-inch, fast black and colors, value 79c yard. *Sample Price*.....39c

Guaranteed Black Taffeta Silk, 32-inch, used for drop skirts, waists and coat linings, worth $1.00 yard. *Sample Price*.....79c

Sample Corsets

18 Pairs W. B. Brocade Nuform Corsets, sizes 19, 21, 23, 25. Value $2.50. *Sample Price*.....1.25

13 Pairs J. B. French Coutil Corsets, sizes 21, 23, 24, 25. Value $4.00. *Sample Price*.....2.00

11 Pairs Augustine Corsets, broken sizes

50 Pairs W. B. Special Coutil, sizes 22 to 28

70 Pairs Nemo Grand Prize Gray Coutil, all sizes. Value $2.00. *Sample Price*.....

89c

Sample Jewelry

Fancy Gold Trimmed Back Combs, value $1.00 to $3.00. *Sample Price*.....59c

Rolled Plate Waist Set. Cuff, button and stick pin, value 50c. *Sample Price*.....17c

Sample Lingerie Waist

So many odd waists are included in this sale that it is impossible to describe them. Call early and get first choice during this great bargain event.

Sample Waists, actually worth $1.50. *Sample Price*.....79c

Sample Waists, actually worth $3.00. *Sample Price*.....1.50

Sample Waists, actually worth $4.00. *Sample Price*.....1.98

Sample Waists, actually worth $5.00. *Sample Price*.....2.98

Sample Dress Trimmings

Importer's sample lengths from one to six yards.

Silk Appliques, black, white and colors. Value 37½c, 75c, 89c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.50. *Sample Prices*.....19c, 25c, 37½c, 49c, 75c, 98c

Colored Silk Appliques, worth $4.00 yard. *Sample Price*.....1.98

Colored Jewel Trimmings, value $1.50 yard. *Sample Price*.....98c

Persian Bands, worth $1.00, $2.00 and $4.00 yard. *Sample Price*.....49c, 98c and 2.50

Mfrs. Sample Pieces of Silk

Black Taffeta Silks, 36 inches wide, warranted for wear, advertised extensively in Boston at $1.25 yard. *Sample Price*.....85c

Black Peau de Soie, 36 inches wide, serviceable quality, bright, lustrous finish, actually worth 89c yard. *Sample Price*.....59c

Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inches wide, sold on many counters at 79c yard. *Sample Price*.....50c

Green and Blue Stripes and Checks, bright, lustrous quality, only sample pieces of each style for dress or separate waists, value 79c and 89c yard. *Sample Price*.....43c

Black Taffeta Silk, 35 inches wide, warranted for wear, sold everywhere at $1.00 yard. *Sample Price*.....59c

Black Peau de Soie, 36 inches wide, bright, lustrous, strong, durable quality, worth $1.25 yard. *Sample Price*.....79c

Black and White Check Taffeta Silk, also stripes for early spring costumes, fashionable and durable, regular $1.00 yard quality. *Sample Price*.....59c

Natural Colored Pongee, beautiful lustre, full 36 inches wide, regular price 59c yard. *Sample Price*.....29c

Mill Ends of New Silks and Satins

High grade goods secured from prominent mills throughout the country. Worth from 50c to $1.25 yard, divided into three lots to be sold at remnant prices as follows:

Lot No. 1 — Silk and Satin Remnants, at choice, each 10c

Lot No. 2 — Silk and Satin Remnants, at choice, each 15c

Lot No. 3 — Silk and Satin Remnants, at choice, each 19c

Sample Womens Suits

Choice Lot of Women's Suits, only one, two and three of a kind, in sizes 34, 36 and 38, made up in the very latest coat styles, from choicest materials, such as worsteds, serges, panamas and fancies, best of linings and trimmed, strictly man-tailored. Worth from $20.00 up to $75.00. *Sample Prices*,

10.00, 12.50, 15.00, 18.75, 20.00, 22.50, 25.00, 30.00 and 37.50.

Sample Womens Shoes

Women's Boots and Oxfords, in patent leather, vici kid, tan kid, tan calf, etc. Value $3.00. *Sample Price*.....1.89

Women's Colonial Buckle Pumps, in patent colt and kid. Value $3.00. *Sample Price*.....1.59

House Shoes, Slippers, Oxfords, Juliets, etc. Value $1.50 to $2.50. *Sample Price*.....99c

Women's Gun Metal Calf or Patent Colt Boots, in button or lace. Value $3.19. *Sample Price*, 2.69

Annual March Sale of Smallwares and Dressmakers' Findings

FOR Professional and Home Dressmakers this is the Semi-Annual Event for which they all wait and look forward to expectantly. This year's sale is productive of rich economies, for we have been actively alert in buying goods at the lowest prices, and we have been more than ever successful.

Wm. Nye's Best Machine Oil, 2c, Dozen 35c
Asbestos Lined Iron Holders 3c
10c German Silver Thimbles 4c
Royale Hook and Eyes 4 dozen for 5c
Kid Curlers, all sizes 12 for 5c
Chinese Ironing Wax 6 for 5c
10c Fancy Iron Holders 2 for 5c
Marking Chalk, per dozen 5c, 6 dozen for 25c
India Bunch Tape, assorted 2 for 5c
Imported Nickel Safety Pins 2 dozen 5c
Tomato Pin Cushions, all sizes 5c
10c Satin Silk Stitched Emeries 5c
English Pins (400 count) 2 for 5c
Coats & Clark's Best Spool Cotton 2 for 5c
Pin Sheets (50 count) 6 bunches for 5c
Wire Hair Pins 24 Dress Fasteners, black or white 5c
3 Cards Darning Worsted, with needle 5c
Large Bunch Assorted Tape 2 for 5c
Silk Fruit Emeries 2 for 5c
Jet Pins 3 boxes for 5c
10c Imported Pearl Collar Pins 5c
25c Silk Covered Dress Shield 13c
25c Pad Supporters 13c
No. 7 Taffeta Binding, 25c quality, per piece 15c
24-yard Mercerized Dressmakers' Braid, per piece 17c
25c Nickel Plated Steel Scissors 19c
Wire Pompadour Rolls 10c, 15c and 19c
Large Spool Silk, 85c values, per spool 23c
One dozen spools 2.50
Dress Fasteners, all sizes, worth 50c gross, for 25c
12 yards Curved Double Boning, black and colors 25c
50c Steel Faced Shears, all sizes 29c
75c New Patented Skirt Marker 39c
Silk Covered Featherbone, 12 yards, $1.00 quality, By for 75c
Royale Dress Shield, fully warranted, sizes 3 and 4, per dozen 1.35
500-yard Basting Cotton 3 for 10c

3 Boxes of Waste Silk 5c
2 Enamel or Natural Finish Darning Balls 5c
10c Ribbon or Tape Leaders, at, pair 5c
50 Count Jet Pin Book 2 for 5c
5c Celluloid Bow Shield 2 for 5c
5c Celluloid Collar Supporter 2 sets for 5c
10c Celluloid Collar Supporters 5c
10c Featherstitch Braid, 6 yards 5c
Fancy Imported Needle Book 5c
Fine quality Cotton Braid, 9 yards 5c
10c quality Skirt Braid 5c
1 Balls of Darning Cotton 5c
Ruby and Children's Hose Supporters, pair 5c
24 yards Cotton Tape 6c
12½c Remnants of Frill Elastic 7c
10c Cabinet Wire Hair Pins 7c
10c Silk Covered Featherbone 7c
Japan Silk Substitute, all sizes, 2 spools 7c
Stitch Point Royale Foundation Collars 7c
10c Tape Measures, extra quality Sateen 7c
Fine Lawn Bias Tape, all sizes, piece 10c
Silk Stitch Fruit Cushions 10c
Super Tape, 6-inch only, 10c quality, 10 yards for 5c
Fine quality Skirt Braid, 5 yards, 7c. Dozen 75c
Dressmakers' Pins, in ¼-lb. boxes, assorted sizes 9c
15c Silk Ribbon Tie Lace 10c
12-yard Vienna Hat Elastic 10c
20c and 25c Silk Side Supporters 10c
Full Count Dressmakers' Pins 3 for 10c
Taffeta Binding Ribbon, best quality, wide width, per piece, 12c. Dozen 1.40
Hook and Eyes, the special Royale brand, per gross 13c

Sample Dress Goods

Mohair Sicilians, 50 inches wide, in all the new spring shades. Regular 75c yard quality. *Sample Price*.....43c

Black and White Checks, also gray and white, in all different size checks. Value 39c yard. *Sample Price*.....23c

Panama Fancies, full 54 inches wide, in a complete assortment of fancy checks and broken designs. Worth 89c yard. *Sample Price*.....39c

Nuns Veiling, strictly all-wool. Sold on many counters at 89c yard. *Sample Price*.....39c

Black Serges, 50 inches wide, strictly all-wool, good durable finish, value $1.00 yard. *Sample Price*.....67c

Mohair Sicilians, 44 inches wide, in gray and navy, including black. Regular 89c yard quality. *Sample Price*.....39c

Short Length Spring Suitings, in novelties, stripes shadow checks, storm serges, cheviots and broadcloths, in all the popular colors. Worth up to $1.50 yard. *Sample Price*.....69c

Sample Undermuslins

Sample Corset Covers, sizes 36 to 42, a variety of pretty styles. Worth 39c. *Sample Price*.19c

Sample Corset Covers, lace and embroidered yoke effects. Actually worth 75c. *Sample Price*.....39c

Hundreds of other pretty cover creations at 49c, 69c, 98c

Sample White Skirts (no two alike), beautiful deep flounces of embroidery or laces, not one but what would bring twice the amount asked. *Sample Prices*.....79c, 98c, 1.39, 1.89

Sample Drawers, open or closed styles, lace or embroidered ruffles, sizes mostly 23 and 25. Some very great values.....39c, 69c, 89c

Sample Night Robes, over 300 lace and embroidery trimmed night robes, all in one lot. *Sample Price*.....79c

Other Sample Night Robes. *Sample Prices*, 98c, 1.49, 1.89, 2.49

Legal Stamps in All Departments

Sample Mens Furnishings

Men's Imported Half Hose, blacks and fancy patterns (sample lots). Value 25c. *Sample Price*.....17c

Men's Imported Half Hose, Hermsdorf blacks and tan, all self and unbleached split soles, all sizes. Value 25c. *Sample Price*.....19c

3 Pairs for 50c

Men's Shirts and Drawers, spring and summer weights, sample sizes, broken lots, slightly soiled. Value 50c and 75c each. *Sample Price*.....29c

Men's Negligee and Stiff Bosom Shirts, neat, light and medium patterns, popular colorings, strictly high-grade goods. Value $1.00 and $1.25. *Sample Price*.....69c

Men's Cotton Night Robes, self and fancy trimmed. Value 75c. *Sample Price*.....48c

Men's Twill Cotton Night Robes, firm quality, sizes full and well made. Value $1.00. *Sample Price*.....69c

Sample Boys Suits

Boys' Suits, sailor, Russian and double-breasted styles, in wool fancy mixtures, size 3 to 16 years. Value $3.00. *Sample Price*.....1.95

Boys' Suits, all-wool serges and fancy mixtures, in different shades, in Russian, sailor or double-breasted styles. Worth $4.00. *Sample Price*.2.95

Boys' Suits, all-wool serges, cheviots and fancy Scotch mixtures, all styles, colors and sizes, with or without knickerbocker pants, coats cut full and long in the latest spring models. Worth $5.00 and $6.00. *Sample Price*.....3.95

50c Boys' Hats.....19c

39c Boys' Caps.....19c

$1.25 Boys' Sweaters.....69c

$6.00 and $6.00 Boys' Overcoats, broken sizes.3.75

$5.00 and $4.00 Boys' Overcoats, broken sizes.2.75

Sample Womens Coats

Women's Strictly Tailor-Made Coats, manufactured from choice covert cloths, broadcloths, cheviots, mixtures, etc., all linings and materials fully guaranteed, cut from 27 to 50 inches long, in the new semi-fitting, box and tight-fitting effects, worth from $12.50 up to $35.00. *Sample Prices*,

5.00, 7.50, 10.00, 12.50 and 15.00

Sample Petticoats

Sample Black and Colored Taffeta Silk Petticoats. Actual values $5.00 and $6.00. *Sample Price*.....3.49

Sample Sateen Petticoats, one lot of 60 samples. Worth from $1.50 to $2.50. *Sample Price*..98c

Sample Silk Finished Moreen Petticoats, in black only. *Sample Price*.....1.49

Sample Infants Bonnets

Infants' White Silk Bonnets, French and ruche styles, embroidered and plain, tucked silks, daintily trimmed with rosettes of ribbon and fine laces, divided into lots.

Lot No. 1—Value 75c. *Sample Price*.....25c
Lot No. 2—Value 89c. *Sample Price*.....39c
Lot No. 3—Value $1.00. *Sample Price*.....49c
Lot No. 4—Value $1.39. *Sample Price*.....69c

Sample Embroideries

Lot 1—Consisting of Edges. Worth up to 20c yard. *Sample Price*.....10c

Lot 2—Edges and Insertions. Worth up to 25c yard. *Sample Price*.....11c

Lot 3—Edges and Insertions. Worth up to 29c yard. *Sample Price*.....13c

Lot 4—Edges and Insertions. Worth up to 38c yard. *Sample Price*.....17c

Lot 5—Edges and Insertions. Worth up to 50c yard. *Sample Price*.....23c

On Sale Special Bargain Counter, 1st Floor, Washington St. Section.

Sample Rugs

Tapestry Rugs, 9x12 feet. Value $15.00. *Sample Price*.....11.95

Brussels and Axminster Rugs, 9x12 feet. Value $27.50. *Sample Price*.....19.50

Carpet Fringed Rugs, 27x54 inches. Value $1.25. *Sample Price*.....69c

Wool Smyrna Rugs, 30x60. Value $2.25. *Sample Price*.....1.50

Granite Art Squares, 3x3 yards. Value $3.50. *Sample Price*.....2.50

Fine Grade Axminster Rugs, 36x54. Value $4.25. *Sample Price*.....2.50

Sample Womens Neckwear

Made Veils, chiffon, lace, spotted, embroidered and plain, blacks, white and colors; 1¼ to 3 yards long; value 75c, $1.00, $1.50. *Sample Price*.....49c

SHERIFF ON WAY TO GET ROY

Warrant and Extradition Papers Issued to Deputy, Who Starts for Washington.

HE WILL SAIL FOR PARIS

Special to the Boston American.

CONCORD, N. H., March 2.—A warrant for the arrest of Paul K. Roy, on the charge of having murdered George A. Corkin at Newington, N. H., was delivered to Deputy Sheriff Scott of Portsmouth to-day, together with the extradition papers signed by Governor Floyd.

The Sheriff started this afternoon for Washington, where he will lay the matter before the State Department and receive necessary authority to go to France in an effort to bring Roy back to New Hampshire for trial.

NEW EVIDENCE INDICATES ROY SHOT AT GLACIA

PORTSMOUTH, March 2.—Startling evidence to bear out the claim of Police Detective Deitsch of New York that Paul E. Roy shot at and attempted to kill his beautiful wife, Glacia Calia, before he shot her brother dead, was unearthed to-day by Sheriff Collis.

Collis made another investigation of the "House of Mystery," Glacia Calia's luxurious villa on Great Bay, where George A. Corkin met his death. He finally discovered what every other investigation had failed to reveal.

A bullet hole in the wall told the story. In the helief of Sheriff Collis this hole in the wall is mute testimony that Roy fired his first shot at Glacia Calia. It is his opinion that it was fired as she stood near the door, that it missed and she ran. Corkin saw Roy reach for his gun and warned the sister with the expressive look she described.

At this point, it is believed, Corkin, the brother, interfered, and Roy turned the gun on him. Corkin was killed, lying to protect his sister, according to the sheriff's theory.

The shot is directly in the place Roy stood at the time and cannot be otherwise accounted for. More is perhaps attached to it by the fact that the two bullet holes first reported to be in the wall behind where Corkin sat are in a different part of the partition, and disprove the story that Roy fired while he was in the chair.

Photographed the Room.

To make sure of the evidence the sheriff had official photographs made of the room. Then he went to the Kelley home, where he had a long interview with Glacia, her friend Jessie D. Kelley, and their solicitor. On his return to Portsmouth he immediately reported the facts to Prosecuting Attorney Batchelder, and mapped out plans for third interview with Glacia and her parents.

But it is learned that the sheriff does not believe that Glacia Calia has told the whole story.

According to Detective Deitsch's arrival, Glacia Calia told him that Roy first shot her and then shot her brother, who was drunk, then opened fire on Roy.

"He Shot at Me."

Detective Deitsch was sent to get from the opera singer her story of the tragedy and she told him:

"While I was dressing to go to an evening entertainment my husband accused me of bringing absurd French manners to our New England home.

"We quarrelled and he called me an awful name, and I replied. He became infuriated and shot at me.

It was after that, according to Deitsch's version of Glacia's story, which was published in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, that the duel between the men occurred.

Glacia Calia, at the family homestead, passed a good part of Sunday looking through the newspapers, while her mother, Mrs. Kelley, devoted much of her time to reading the Bible.

Her daughter did not arise very early and as soon as she finished her morning meal she anxiously hunted up all the papers of Sunday and many which she had gathered during the week, as it was her first opportunity to read what had been said of the sensational story which she gave County Attorney Batchelder for the first time in Portsmouth on February 20.

"It Will Soon Be Over."

Every now and then, as she perused the different columns, she would comment on the statements and call her mother's attention to certain articles and say:

"What is awful."

Her mother would offer consolation and replied by saying:

"Don't mind it, dear, it will soon be over."

During the afternoon Glacia had many callers of the family circle, including her cousin, Fred Calia, and Senator Oscar Flakham of Dover, a life-long friend of the Calias and several members of the Hodgdon family.

Sheriff Collis left Portsmouth quietly on Sunday morning and put in nearly the entire day at the scene of the murder.

"ROY QUICKEST MAN IN WORLD WITH A GUN"

LYNN, March 2.—Gilbert Edwards of this city, an intimate friend of George A. Corkin, said to-day:

"If Paul E. Roy jumped three or four bullets into George Corkin's head and back while they were engaged in a duel the Frenchman is the quickest man in the world with a gun. In all my travels about the country I never saw a quicker or more accurate shot than Roy. Corkin, and when he pulled a gun he hit what he aimed at.

"To me the Baroness was always a huge joke, for I was aware that she had as much claim to the title as I. She was Ann Hodgdon, sister to Killina's mother. She went on gay trips, but she never used the title about Newington. She knew how to carry herself well, and from her Killina learned many things that helped her in after years.

"Killian spent a great deal of her time about the Kearsarge and Wentworth Hotels at Newcastle, and there she made the acquaintance of many millionaires. Soon after she and the Baroness went to Paris, Killina providing the money for the trip.

"There existed between Killina and George something more than friendly love, and to me it appeared that they were really infatuated with each other. I know that he posed as her husband in France, and from my acquaintance with her I learned that it was he who encouraged the girls to take the successful step executed by the fair Killina."

FRIEND OF BARONESS TELLS OF GLACIA'S CONQUESTS ABROAD

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 2.—Mrs. George W. Albright came into public notice to-day as a friend of the mysterious Baroness von Orendorf. There is some thing of a mystery about Mrs. Albright also. She says that her home is in New Orleans and that her husband is a banker in New York.

Mrs. Albright sprang into the limelight about a year ago by buying and wearing the gowns made for the murdered Queen Dragn of Servia.

About the same time she caused a sensation by appearing at a public White House reception in a bizarre gown trimmed with artificial peaches.

She vigorously defends her friend the Baroness.

"When I met Baroness von Orendorf," said Mrs. Albright, "she was visiting Glacia Calia, whose father, she said, had been an Italian nobleman.

"The Baroness frequently introduced me to members of the Italian set. They were exclusive sets in Paris, with whom she moved on the most intimate terms.

"At this time the Shah's grand vizier had become enamored of the beautiful American girl and paid ardent suit to Miss Calia. The grand vizier gave Miss Calia many beautiful gifts, among them a pearl necklace valued at several thousands of dollars.

"Contrary to reports," said Mrs. Albright, "Miss Calia never passed as the Baroness's sister. She called her 'aunt,' the German for aunt, but this is very usual abroad in a young lady who is really fond of an elder one, more of a term of endearment than of relationship.

"I am sure the Baroness had no gambling house in Paris," continues Mrs. Albright. "I have read the published reports with amusement stating that there is no Oren-

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PHOTO OF GLACIA CALLA SHOWING STRIKING PROFILE

dorf estate in Germany. I have been there, it is in Wehlsdeln, and is an enormous property.

"I want to say that I think the Baroness is a persecuted woman. I have met her in several places besides Paris. In Saratoga, with Miss Calia, she was received by the best people in this country at the time Mr. W. C. Whitney was paying the young lady much attention and the Baroness was in hopes she would be able to consummate the big deal that she may one would for their sake. She often chaperoned wealthy girls, probably because this enabled her to live in the style she liked. Her income from her mother's estate in Linden, she acknowledged, did not suffice.

ROY'S COUNSEL SAYS CARKIN WAS FIRST TO SHOW WEAPON

PARIS, March 2.—That Paul Roy had pulled at his wife previous to the exchange of shots which cost the life of his brother-in-law George Carkin, at Newington, is the assertion, it was explained to-day by Roy's attorney, Maître Antony Arnal, to-day.

The lawyer added that the statement that Roy was the first to draw a revolver would be corroborated by the evidence given by Mrs. Roy herself that Carkin had no time for display a weapon. His client's original story of the shooting, the lawyer says, was accurate in every detail, as the defense is fully prepared to prove, and any variation from it may be due to the excitement of the moment.

The defense in the case is kept advised of developments in the United States by cable and know more about their progress, apparently, than even the French newspapers, which have, however, been giving the affair much space.

SLIGO PRIEST SENDS THANKS TO HUB CLUB

At the monthly meeting of the Sligo Social Club at Tonti Hall, South Boston, last night, P. K. O'Lally read a letter from Rev. Father Creham of Riverside, county Sligo, in which he expressed his thanks to the club for its recent generous donation and his efforts in attending the progress of the Celtic tongue.

W. H. L. Clements, recently of London, England, and who recently joined the organization, spoke of the Celtic revival in England.

Miss M. E. O'Rourke of Lough Gill, County Sligo, also addressed the meeting, speaking in Irish on the interest the women are showing in the language revival and the efforts of parliament to all the phases of the national movement.

HELP COLORED TO HELP THEMSELVES

To help the colored people to help themselves is the purpose of the Robert Gould Shaw House at No. 6 Hammond street, which will be formally opened next Thursday afternoon by Bishop Lawrence. It is intended to have kindergarten classes, classes in sewing, basketry, sewing, drawing and various kinds of handicraft.

'TALL UNS' ON PARADE HAVE CABBY PUZZLED

"Ed" Sweeney Worried by Six-Footers Hustling for Hippodrome Job.

ONE IS SIX FOOT NINE

"Ed." Sweeney, the hackman, swung onto his cab on Boylston street, near Tremont, to-day, and remarked, as he passed at a man passing by:

"Gee, there's tall us."

The "tall us" swung into the door at No. 74 Boylston street, and just then "Ed" saw another tall man, well over six feet, come down Boylston street in a hurry and make for the doorway. No. 74.

"High ones seem to be out to-day," soliloquized "Ed." "Is himself, forsaken if there ain't two there. Must be the annual convention of the United Order of High Posters.

It wasn't exactly that, but it was a rush of applicants in answer to this advertisement in the morning papers:

WANTED—Two men as ticket takers who are well built and up-to-date or over. Apply at office of Boston Hippodrome Company, 74 Boylston street.

In all 117 men applied and over sixty were more than six feet in height. Twenty-five applicants were measured six feet, six inches, or over. The others were too short. One man, who declared he was tall enough, refused to believe the measuring rod that was applied to him.

"That rod doesn't measure right," he declared. "I know how tall I am."

But he was ruled too short.

The tallest man to come was Joseph E. Wilson. Joseph measured the startling height of six feet nine inches. He weighs 207 pounds.

Names and addresses of the lucky ones were taken, but no decision, other than was made, as President Rogers of the Hippodrome Company is now thinking, on account of the plentitude of "tall ans," of having only those over six feet tall, except the ushers.

To-night there will be a rush of girls to the office, as Signor Perl, master of the ballet, has advertised for applicants for the flying ballet.

SAYS SHE'LL DIE BEFORE PARTING WITH CHILDREN

Declaring that she will kill herself and her little ones rather than be separated from them by the authorities, Mrs. Sophia Nason, deserted last August by her husband, stands guard night and day over her children.

In a hovel standing on the marshes that surround Dorchester Bay, in the neighborhood of Pope's Hill, the brave woman is making a gallant fight for support herself and the three children. In the shack the only furnishings are a bed and a bureau, two or three chairs and two boxes serve as other furniture.

On one of these pieces of furniture a loaded revolver. This the woman declares she will use if the authorities attempt to take her away her children.

Mrs. Nason's husband, it is said, suddenly left home last August, leaving a four-year-old daughter, three-year-old son and a three-weeks-old infant for his wife to care for. He left besides a number of old empty bottles on a table. Upon this he hoped he was a great chemist. He went away to make some wonderful chemical discoveries.

Mrs. Nason believes in him and that he will return to be famous. Since he went away she has attempted to support herself and her children. Her distress' becoming known to the Dorchester Relief Association, which arranged to have the children taken to some home. Mrs. Nason fought the plan. She said she would die sooner than give up the children.

TAFT TALKS TO OLD FRIENDS AT MILBURY

MILLBURY, March 2.—Secretary of War William H. Taft, candidate for the Republican nomination for President, made his first appearance in the Bay State on his home town to-day and it was also the first time that the citizens of the place ever gathered in the home of the statesman, although he has been in the habit of coming here several times every year. He addressed a meeting in the town hall held under the auspices of the original Taft Club of America. It has about sixty members and the president is Henry W. Aiken, who presided to-day.

The town was decorated in honor of his coming. Flags flew everywhere and a local band played, "Hail to the Chief." Secretary Taft got a characteristic reception and was highly pleased.

His address was similar to ones he has recently made in different parts of the country. He defended the Roosevelt administration and said the policies of the Republican party would be continued by McKinley and Roosevelt policies. He spoke in favor of expansion and a big navy. For enforcement of the anti-trust laws and a revision of the Dingley tariff.

CHINA YIELDS TO JAP DEMAND

PEKIN, March 2.—The Chinese government has decided to release the Japanese steamer Iwan Maru, which was seized on February 7 while unloading a large consignment of rifles outside of Macao. It was then said that the arms on the vessel were being smuggled to revolutionists on the Tonking border, but the Chinese government has been unable thus far to establish proof of this contention.

3 MEN FATALLY SCALDED IN VAT

NEW YORK, March 2.—Three men employed in the Caino Borax Company's plant at No. 119 West 35th avenue, Jersey City, were fatally burned to-day when they toppled from a board spanning a vat containing chemical and fell into the scalding fluid. The three men are Joseph Wasag, twenty-eight; Joseph Balanag, thirty-five, and John W. Ashen, forty.

BOSTON MAN LOSES LIFE IN PANAMA EXPLORATION

SMITHSONIAN PARTY TELL TALES OF EXCITING ADVENTURES IN ISTHMUS.

Dispatches from Panama report the return of the Smithsonian exploration party on the northeastern coast of the isthmus in which T. R. Bradley, mining engineer, of Boston, lost his life. William J. Bartlett, geologist, of Boston, was also a member of the party. Tales of amazing hardship and exciting adventure are told by the members of the expedition.

Dr. F. V. Richardson Von Tesmar, who led the Panama government launch Blanco and left Colon Harbor on January 3. Taking an easterly course, he arrived at Nombre de Dios six hours later, thus avoiding a long and tiresome journey through more than twenty-eight miles of jungle. From here we took a trail following closely along the beach and bringing us to Viento Frio, and from there to Palenque Miramar, Rio Chiquito, Tuma Culebra and Santa Isabel.

Cut Way Through Jungle.

"At Rio Sidbo and Rio Quango we established camps, stopping three days and making short expeditions north and south, following different rivers and streams. In this territory nothing of interest was found with the exception of deposits of manganese, which seemed to abound throughout the entire neighborhood.

"At Santa Isabel we renewed our supply of provisions and made preparations to penetrate through the jungle to the Gulf of San Blas, but, finding that there was absolutely no trail, we were led to engage men by our maps, we were obliged to cut our way through the thick jungle.

"Following the branch of the Santa Isabel River we followed same for three and one half days, and reached a range of hills, ranging from two to eight hundred feet in elevation, on which an unknown river bed which we followed for five days, walking in the latter up to our waists and finally arriving at the headwaters of the Mandinga River. Here we were again obliged to camp on account of some of the men falling ill with fever due to exposure and dampness. Here we encountered a number of Indians who, upon their first appearance at the sight of white men in their country, and from the increasing numbers of their party, took a look at us as were convinced that we were in the immediate vicinity of an Indian village.

"On account of the rising water we were obliged to move our camp lower down the river, where I made several attempts to cross the same, but without success. On the night of January 27 a barbed arrow was shot into the camp, probably by the Indians who had been continually hanging around the camp in the woods, but never came close. This arrow shot was returned on my part by rifle fire, and we had no more trouble that night.

"The following morning the Indians arrived at camp in a body asking our intention and our destination. We had been previously warned by the natives that the Indians would not tolerate the presence of white men in their country, and, further, that we should on no account disclose the nature of our expedition.

Refused Aid by Indians.

"With a refusal to help in any form and with repeated warnings to leave the country at once by the way we came, the Indians left us, where we were obliged to remain for six days on account of our exhausted condition. We were constantly watched, however, and each night could hear the Indians beating to and fro in the bush.

"On January 28 conditions had become so serious in the camp that I started out with Dr. Von Tesmar in an endeavor to cut my way through the bush to the coast and bring help to the men left in camp, as we were entirely without food and played out. After traveling all day we were obliged to return to camp because the thick growth of the jungle made it impossible to cut a passage-way.

"On January 29 the Indian chief, Inapay Luis Pilele, of the Sagrila tribe, with some of his head men, appeared and again tried to make us leave the country over the mountains. This I refused to do, and he left us, returning again later with his canoes to make further arrangements. After we had promised the chief that we would unload our guns and follow them in a peaceful way they agreed to take us to the settlement of Santa Isabel if we would promise to leave the country.

"We boarded their canoes that same afternoon and, following the river's course for fifteen miles, finally arrived at the mouth of the waterway, and after crossing a rough and choppy sea came to Mandinga Island, where we were landed. Here we were held by their combined house over night, while the Indians held a meeting, lasting till early in the morning, as to what they should do with us. At daybreak we were taken to the chief's hut, where another meeting was held with the Cardi Indians, who were decidedly in favor of offering us no help, and had it not been for the Mandinga Indians the little account would probably not have been related.

"They would give us no food, and three of the party were stretched on the ground with fever. I finally became desperate, threatening the Indians with violence and telling them that a government boat was coming to look for us. They finally consented to take us to Santa Isabel, which they did. We arrived there on January 31.

"Once back in semi-civilization, we searched for a sailboat to take the sick men to Colon, as Mr. Bradley's condition was getting serious. I was only able to get one at the point of a gun. The three men were sent to Colon on this boat, and myself and my brother Carl started back overland on foot. Because of the strong head winds and rough sea the boat made little progress. Bradley's strength gradually failed until he died on February 4. My brother and I went overland to Playa Damas, and from there to Colon in a government launch, which was there waiting for us. The rest of our party were in Colon when we arrived, on February 10. The remains of Mr. Bradley were then given decent burial, and Smith and Bartlett were sent to the hospital."

LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

Assortment Workers No. 372 of the Street Metal Workers' International will hold an open mass meeting at 15 Leverett street to-night. John J. Hynes, New England organizer, and Mr. Kennedy of Sheet Metal Workers No. 17 and others will speak.

To-night the committee of ten appointed by the Carpenters' District Council will institute the new union of ship carpenters, general organizer Todd has received the new charter for the union.

NOTES.

The bonded and seventy members were admitted into Bricklayers' Union at yesterday's meeting at Hollis Hall.

Bricklayers will hold a smoke talk at No. 1160 Washington street next Saturday night.

Secretary Nason of the Park Department Employes No. 7376, K. of L., that the men will go back on the job Tuesday, March 3. The time will soon be back on full time.

Thomas Flaherty, international organizer of the building laborers, and Secretary Sullivan of the building laborers, are to be in Indiana, reported to Boston secretary Nason. They are organizing for Boston contractors in New Jersey.

United Hatters' John Executive Board will hold a special meeting to-night in Wells Memorial Building to arrange for this year's label advertising campaign.

Horseshoers No. 5 install their new officers to-night in Wells Memorial Building. No. 987 Washington street. Committee will make their annual reports.

Arthur M. Haddell, international vice-president of the Stationary Engineers, will leave for Peoria, Ill., immediately after the Stationary Engineers, No. 16, concludes its regular business session next Friday evening, when a session of the international executive board, called for next Monday.

Marble Cutters and Carpenter Helpers, No. 54, has reorganized by the election of the following officers: Thomas Hand, vice-president; Joseph Lillis, Jr., recording secretary; Joseph Lillis, financial secretary; John Lillis, treasurer. The union will meet the first and third Sundays of each month.

Joseph E. Laycock, international organizer for the Cooks, Waiters, Waitresses and Hotel and Restaurant Employes, is in Boston this week. He organized a new local of cooks. At a meeting yesterday he attended a session of the international executive board, called for next Monday.

Allied Printing Trades Council at No. 645 Old South Building.

Executive and Label Committee of the Boston Central Labor Union at Wells Memorial.

Joint Executive Committee of Piano and Musical Instrument Workers at No. 987 Washington street.

Executive Committee of Electrical Workers No. 103 at No. 987 Washington street.

District Council of Building Trades Laborers at No. 144 North street.

Carpenters No. 33 at No. 987 Washington street.

Carpenters No. 1 at No. 987 Washington street.

Housesmiths and Bridgemen No. 7 at No. 995 Washington street, room 306.

Carpenters No. 1 at No. 987 Washington street.

Cambridge City Employes No. 8279 at No. 631 Massachusetts avenue.

Cap Cutters No. 38 at No. 724 Washington street.

Carpenters No. 264, Hebrew, at No. 724 Washington street.

Hoop and Ship Painters No. 402, in Carpenters' Hall, Decatur street, East Boston.

Marble Workers No. 59 at No. 167 Border street, East Boston.

Steamfitters No. 33 at No. 18 Kneeland street.

Tin Workers No. 573, at No. 15 Leverett street.

Wharf and Bridge Carpenters No. 1,363, at No. 20 Webster street.

Paper Hangers No. 259, in Phoenix Hall, No. 724 Washington street.

Atlantic Coast and Marine Firemen, at No. 284 Commercial street.

Stationary Engineers No. 12, in Engineers' Hall, No. 1 Somerset street, Boston.

Horseshoers No. 201, in Unity Hall, No. 724 Washington street.

Blacksmiths No. 209, at No. 45 Eliot street.

Chelsea Machinists No. 606, at No. 196 Broadway.

Metal Polishers, Buffers and Platers No. 98, at No. 45 Eliot street.

Public Grounds Department No. 12,484, at No. 987 Washington street.

Railway Clerks No. 119, at No. 164 Canal street.

Boston and Allston Workers No. 6, at No. 694 Washington street.

YOUTHS HELD IN CAMBRIDGE ASSAULT CASE

John W. Heslett, aged twenty-two, son of Patrolman John Heslett of Cambridge, and Richard E. Thomas, aged nineteen, were held in $500 bonds by Judge Sullivan in the Cambridge court to-day, charged with assault and attempt to rob Max Levin, pawnbroker, early Saturday night. Their case was continued until March 9.

Meanwhile the grand jury will be asked to return indictments against the youthful robbers.

The alleged assault for which the boys are held was one of the most daring ever carried out in Greater Boston. According to Levin, he was in the rear of his establishment on Main street, and while he was getting a package from a shelf the latter struck him violently with a five-pound pair of pliers. Thirteen stitches were necessary to close wounds on his face and head. Levin prevented the boys from robbing the safe of $300 and gave chase to them, but fell unconscious on the street from loss of blood. The boys were rounded up last night.

POLICE RAID RABBI'S STORE

NEWBURYPORT, March 2.—City Marshall Frank L. Lattine, in charge of a squad of local police, raided to-day the establishment of Joseph Walker, R. Salsalid, on Water street, and seized a wagon-load of liquor, the value of which is believed to contain 45 to 87½ per cent. of alcohol.

Walker is the first Jew to be arrested in this city. Those arrested with him were being sold illegally, and Rabbi Saklad will be arraigned in the local police court tomorrow.

THE "TWO OF US" PARTY.

The "Two of Us" hold their annual party to-morrow evening at Faunieroy Hall, Waumbeck street, Roxbury. The organization, which has gained a name for itself in Roxbury social circles, is composed of Walter T. McCarthy, the well-known Roxbury High School athlete, and Harold A. Keefe, a former member of the Quarter City Quartet. Friends of the two young men are planning to turn out in force on that evening.

MOTHER, BABE, RESCUED FROM FIRE AT LYNN

Family Narrowly Escapes Death in Midnight Blaze in Shoe City.

SAVED BY CHILD'S WIT

Special to the Boston American.

LYNN, March 2.—By standing up in bed, kicking his father vigorously in the ribs and saying, "Get up, papa! Get up! The house is afire!" four-year-old Frank Ryder gave the first alarm of fire at the Ryder home, No. 25 North Common street, early to-day, and brought about rescues of his father, his mother and his baby sister and Miss Helgilina, a second roomer.

Frank is the son of Dr. F. A. Ryder, a dentist. Dr. Ryder and Frank were sound asleep in the front bed in an upstairs room. Mrs. Ryder and baby Jeanette Edna Ryder were sleeping in the rear room.

Rats got at some matches in the kitchen closet downstairs. Flames spread through the kitchen and rolled volumes of smoke to the sleeping rooms upstairs.

Frank Was Awakened Boy.

Frank was awakened by the smoke. Though dazed for a moment, he kept his boyish wits. He stood up in bed, grabbed the head of the bed with one hand to steady himself and, drawing off with one sturdy foot, planted a succession of accurate kicks into his father's side.

Though nearly overcome by fumes of smoke, Dr. Ryder managed to awaken. He realized what Frank was doing and thought the boy was playing his usual pranks.

"What are you doing?" he gasped out to Frank, when Frank yelled that the house was afire.

Dr. Ryder staggered out of bed, and following the boy, started toward the next room. At the threshold Dr. Ryder felt unconscious. He was at this time Dr. I. D. Lovell, a physician in the adjoining house, who had just returned home from a night call, heard a sound of something falling in the Ryders' home. Dr. Lovell grabbed an electric searchlight and started to investigate. He saw the smoke and broke in the Ryder home. He yelled to his wife to get up, sent in a hurry-up telephone call for fire headquarters, and the next moment was in the Ryder house.

Mother Carried Out.

Dr. Lovell groped his way to the Ryders' second floor, stumbled over Dr. Ryder, picked him and carried him out. At the same time Fire Chief Barris, who had rushed in at the head of a squad of firemen, took out Mrs. Ryder, who was semi-unconscious.

Meanwhile other firemen took out baby Jeanette Edna Ryder and Miss Brightling, the schoolteacher, who was lodging at the Ryders.

Frank had been told by a fireman to get on some clothes and get out. The lad asked calmly:

"Shall I put on my best suit?"

He was told to get on any old suit so he can go on his everyday clothes that he had been wearing the day before. But later it was found that the lad had managed to grab his best clothes and hurl them through a window to the ground, where they were later found.

Mrs. Ryder was carried into Lovells and a physician called. Baby Jeanette Edna Ryder, rushed up the smoke-filled stairway twice in search of her little friend, but was finally saved by firemen. The fire did $200 damage to the Ryder home.

BEATEN AND ROBBED BY TWO THUGS

Another Chapter Added to the Reign of Lawlessness in Cambridge.

Another chapter was added to the chronicle of Cambridge's reign of lawlessness to-day when the police of that city reported that John Peterson, a young machinist living at No. 758 Cambridge street, had been held up, beaten into unconsciousness and robbed in sight of his home by two thugs. They secured only seventy cents.

Peterson was going home early Sunday morning, and in a lonely spot at the corner of Bonair and Cherry streets, two men jumped out of the darkness, threw a rubber blanket over his head and numerous times beat him. He fell to the street unconscious, and the thieves went through his pockets. After recovering, the victim crawled to his home and, later, told the story to the authorities. He did not see the faces of his assailants.

In the past few weeks there have been a dozen holdups, many burglaries, shootings and attacks on women in Cambridge.

SING SING FOR POLICEMAN.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Policeman Dawkins, convicted of burglary and grand larceny while in uniform and on post, was to-day sentenced to Sing Sing for not less than one and one-half years in Sing Sing by Judge Dike in the County Court of Brooklyn.

The Hollow Bones

of the arms and legs are tubes like a piece of gas pipe. The hollow centre is filled with soft red fatty material called marrow. This is the place where new red blood is made.

Scott's Emulsion

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Yours very truly,

JOSEPH PERRY

33 Ingraham St., E. Providence, R. I.

HO, FOR THE SOMERVILLE WALK NEXT WEDNESDAY

ALL BOYS OF GREATER BOSTON INVITED TO JOIN PARADE, SAYS WESTON.

By EDWARD PAYSON WESTON.

WHILE the walk we are to have next Wednesday afternoonakes place in Somerville, I do not want to have members of the club from other sections of the city to stay away on that account. Somerville is easily reached from many of the outlying towns where the club has a large membership.

The start is made from Broadway Park, on Broadway, Somerville. To reach this park from the city I would suggest that the members of the club take the Elevated to Sullivan square, where the change can be made to any Winter Hill, Medford or Arlington car. These cars pass the park.

It is planned to start the march at about 3:40, which will give the schoolboys time to reach there from other sections of Somerville. Then, too, they can overtake the parade at various points along the road. We shall swing around the city, the farthest point from our starting place being Davis square, West Somerville.

Clubs to Lead Big Parade.

As all the boys who have walked with the club before know, the walk will be held even if the weather is a little bad, although we all hope that we shall have a fine day. So many of our walks have fallen on days when it rained that it seems as though we are entitled to another pleasant day on Wednesday.

Now I want all the boys to be on hand as soon as possible after 3:30. We want to get the parade started on time, so that we can reach our finishing point before dark and have plenty of time for the boys to get home to the hearty supper which all members of the club want after one of these walks.

We ought to have a record-breaking crowd on Wednesday. Already many new applications have commenced to come in from that city, and we have a large membership there. Also I am glad to see that there are being formed a number of school organizations, who are electing officers, and when they come out on Wednesday will be in solid formation, so that, taking the head of the line, they will act as excellent leaders for the individual members.

Be Prompt at Starting Point.

Organization is the right idea. You have read this many times in my talks to you, but really I cannot say too much about it. On the march the club makes a much more impressive appearance where the lines are orderly, where the distance of four feet between each file is carefully observed, while the members keep step with the music.

An excellent example of this was found in Providence, where that trained organization, the Hikers' Club, took the head of the line, formed themselves into files and steadied the entire parade as well as if they had been under military rule.

This can be done just as well in Somerville, where some of the bright boys who have walked with us have formed companies of their own and are already having little practice walks. Keep up the good work.

Remember that the start on Wednesday will be made at 3:40 p. m. Be there at that time, or before.

TO LEAD MARCHERS ON HISTORIC ROUTE

Boys of Somerville, anxious to walk with Edward Payson Weston next Wednesday afternoon, are making active preparations to turn out a crowd that will make their fathers and mothers look on in wonderment.

Among the new applications for membership received to-day more than half were from Somerville boys who for various reasons had been unable to join the club before. But there had been enrolled before thousands of boys and young men from that city. Many of them have taken every walk with the E. P. Weston Walking Club.

As announced in Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN, the start of next Wednesday's walk will be from Broadway Park, Broadway, Somerville, at 3:40. Headed by the band the parade will move through Broadway over aristocratic Winter Hill to Powder House square, where on one side is the little tower wherein ammunition was stored during the Revolution.

Through Business Section.

From the square the route is through broad, well paved College road to Davis square, West Somerville, a lively business section of the section. The march turns to the left through Elm street as far as Cutter square, from which turn is made into Summer street. There is a hill to climb, but the road is wide and has no car tracks, save for a short distance. When Central street is reached another turn is made, so that the marchers may enter Highland avenue, and along this thoroughfare they go as far as Central Hill Park, on which are located the two high school buildings, City Hall and the Public Library.

At this fine finishing point there will probably be a large crowd on hand to see the walkers and give them greeting. Here also it is planned to have an address made.

The identity of the man who is to talk to the boys of the Weston Walking Club will be made known in the BOSTON AMERICAN to-morrow.

High School Boys to Walk.

A finer route than this it would be hard to find anywhere. All the way there is a broad, hard, smooth road marked here and there by hills which are easy to climb. Hitherto the club has had little experience in climbing hills. On this walk Mr. Weston will show the members the way in which an experienced pedestrian goes up an incline in the best possible manner to avoid fatigue.

The walk will do everyone who takes part in it a world of good. The Somerville High School boys who are interested in athletics are planning to walk with Mr. Weston on Wednesday as a help to them in their training.

It may possibly be a bad day on Wednesday, but unless conditions are altogether too terrible Mr. Weston will conduct the walk just the same. The boys of Boston have shown themselves not afraid of the weather and have followed the great pedestrian under all conditions. Mr. Weston believes that the boys of Somerville will want to walk just the same.

He advises all boys to wear stout shoes and warm clothing. With these precautions and following his advice at the end of the walk he does not believe that the slightest harm can be done any lad.

NEW MEMBERS JOIN FOR WESTON WALK

Boys and young men continue the work of registering for the next walk of the E. P. Weston Walking Club, to be held in Somerville on Wednesday afternoon. Those who want to secure the club buttons in time for the walk should have their applications made in order that they may be mailed in time. A coupon to be found in to-day's AMERICAN may be pasted on the back of a postal card and mailed to Mr. Weston at No. 80 Summer street.

Names of new members received to-day follow:

B—Albert Benson, Wesley street, Somerville; Albert Bowen, Pearl street, Somerville; William Barnes, Park avenue, Winthrop; James Brown, Canton corner; Charles Bell, Cedar street, Somerville; Clarence Cutting, Tufts street, Somerville; Conover, Hampshire street, Cambridge; John Colligan, Ash street, Chelsea; Frank A. Carlton, Pleasant street, Woburn; Joseph Colosky, Columbia road, Dorchester; George Crowley, Alpine street, Roxbury; Henry Cadigan, Ash street, Chelsea; Fred Conklin, Minot street, Neponset.

D—Harry Deacon, Lowell street, Somerville; Charles Deacon, Lowell street, Somerville; Albert Downey, Rockford street, Roxbury; Joseph Desmond, Regent street, Roxbury; Dorman Dolan, Brooks street, Roxbury; Fred Dennis, Hamilton street, Dorchester; Philip Demon, Dudley street, Roxbury.

E—Basil Fletcher, Marshall street, Somerville; Herbert A. Feldman, Addison street, Chelsea.

G—William Godere, South Ashburnham; John Golding, Hampshire street, Bertram Grates, Calumet street, Everett; Joseph Gleason, Trenton street, E. Boston.

H—Louis Haskell, Attleboro; Arthur Hill, Franklin street, Cambridge; Robert Harshecker, W. Walnut street, Roxbury; Victor Hugo, Cliff street, Roxbury.

J—Henry Jordan, Western avenue, Lynn; Mrs. Jordan, Western avenue, Lynn; Wood Somerville.

K—William Kenney, Bowdoin square, East Boston; Paul Keating, Lowell street, Somerville; Robert Kean Wenham street, Pigeon Hills.

L—Alfred Lacey, Broadway, Everett; Andrew Lawrence, Haverhill street, Lawrence, H. Clinton Learned, James street, Somerville; Walter Little, White street place, Roxbury; Lee Lidderman, West Third street, Chelsea; William Looney, Belmont street, Somerville; Leo Lewis, Bowdoin street, Roxbury; Howard Longhlin, Charles Longhorn, Cambridge; Walter Longhlin, Cambridge.

M—Clarence Moulton, Rogers avenue, West Somerville; Herbert Miller, Rockland street, Roxbury; Joseph McClellan, Lexington street, East Boston; Alfred Mosher, Saratoga street, East Boston; Francis Mullen, Prentiss street, Dorchester; Francis Merkle, Fisher street, Roxbury; Charles Mann, Somerville; Clarence Main; Harold Myers, Dewey street, Roxbury.

O—Lawrence Olsen, Park avenue, Somerville; Cornelius O'Reardon, Carroll street, Chelsea.

P—Charle Pitts, Fulton street, Neponset.

S—Thomas Shannon, Hampshire street, Cambridge; Cyril Silver, Somerville avenue, Somerville; Herbert Stewart, W. Walnut street, Roxbury; Edward Sullivan, Bowdoin square, East Boston; Joseph Solomon, Fulton street, Neponset; John Streehan, Cordley terrace, Brighton; David Scully, Painter street, Medford; Emery Silva, Pearl street, Somerville; William Smith, East Walpole; Edwin Sherman, Caldwell street, Charlestown.

T—Joseph Twomey, Hooper street, Chelsea; John Tarpey, Bowdoin square, East Boston; Thomas Tarpey, Bowdoin square, East Boston; Dorothy Crowley Tucker, Glen street, Somerville; Harry Turner, William street, Somerville; Cecil Taylor, Cedar street, Somerville.

W—William White, Etna place, West Lynn; E. Wiseman, Cross street, Malden.

WALKER MUST STAY IN JAIL

By Boston American Leased Wire.

ENSENDA, Mexico, March 2.—William F. Walker, absconding cashier of the New Britain (Ct.) Savings Bank, under arrest here, has lost in his effort to escape extradition. Federal Judge Cardena, before whom the extradition question was argued, has decided that Walker must remain in jail and that if any relief is granted the prisoner it must come from secretary of foreign relations at the City of Mexico, to whom a transcript of the proceedings will be sent for review. Judge Cardena overruled all the defendant's contentions.

CHICAGO LABOR TO AID GOMPERS

CHICAGO, March 2.—While bowing to the decision of the United States Supreme Court that labor unions come within the meaning of the Sherman anti-trust act, the Chicago Federation of Labor voted yesterday to aid President Gompers and the American Federation of Labor in their efforts to have the act amended.

President Gompers's position that the decision should be accepted and obeyed was indorsed. The executive board was instructed to devise a method of arousing the working people to an understanding of the law and ask all affiliated unions to join in a demand that the act be so amended that labor organizations will be exempt.

Join Weston's Walking Club

FILL in the blank below with your name and address, paste it on a postcard (don't put it in an envelope) and mail it to E. P. Weston, No. 80 Summer street. It will give you free membership in the Edward P. Weston Walking Club. The next walk will be held on Wednesday afternoon, March 4.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

HOPE EDISON WILL RECOVER

NEW YORK, Feb. 2—Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, is doing nicely to-day, and the physicians at the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, where he is confined, believe that all danger of complications are past. In fact it is believed that Mr. Edison will be able to leave the hospital the latter part of this week. Since the first operation for mastoiditis was performed on Mr. Edison a week ago yesterday, his wife has been with him constantly. For eight days she has not left his bedside. The physicians say that the operation will not relieve Mr. Edison's deafness.

ROB MAN ON BEACON STREET

Melvin A. Mode, twenty-five years old, of No. 7 Aberdeen street, was set upon by two men on Beacon street near the hotel Buckminster about 4 o'clock yesterday morning and robbed of $17.

One man, who said he was Frank Cralk of Haverhill, was arrested and identified by Mode. Clark in fleeing after the robbery tripped over the rails on the Boston & Albany tracks and broke his knee cap. He was sent to the City Hospital.

Mode said he met the two men on Eliot street Saturday night and they had some drinks together. The men followed him on a car which he took to go home and attacked him, he says, when he got off, taking his money away from him.

BOYS START FUND FOR CANE FOR E. P. WESTON

SIGSBEE CHIDWICK DONOVAN SUGGESTS HUB SOUVENIR FOR FAMOUS WALKER.

From a Dorchester boy, a member of the Edward Payson Weston Walking Club, has come a suggestion that the army of followers of the great pedestrian in and about Boston should have Mr. Weston take away with him when he finally leaves Boston some remembrance of the walks here.

The boy is Sigsbee Chidwick Donovan of No. 801 Columbia road. He suggests that Mr. Weston be presented with a cane, to be paid for by penny or nickel contributions from the members of the club.

This is the letter in which the ten-year-old lad, who successfully fought for public recognition in Boston of the tenth anniversary of the destruction of the battleship Maine, broaches the subject:

Secretary Weston Walking Club:

Dear Sir—I know that all the members of the Weston Walking Club would be glad to donate a little, say from a penny to a nickel, towards a cane to be presented to Mr. Weston from the Weston Walking Club as a remembrance of his walks, and I know that Mr. Weston would value the gift.

I am inclosing twenty-five cents, and my brother Hilliard, who is also a member of the club, is sending twenty-five cents.

With best wishes to Mr. Weston, the BOSTON AMERICAN and the Weston Walking Club, I am

Your little friends,

SIGSBEE CHIDWICK DONOVAN.
HILLIARD CONRAD DONOVAN.

In accordance with the suggestion of Sigsbee Donovan, the matter is put before the members of the E. P. Weston Walking Club. All contributions will be acknowledged through the BOSTON AMERICAN. Some well-known citizen will be asked to serve as treasurer of the fund.

ABSTAINERS HOLD 8TH DANCE TO-NIGHT

St. Patrick's Total Abstinence and Literary Society will hold its eighth annual dance in Correspondial Hall, Dudley street, opposite Greenville street, this evening. A concert from 8 to 9 o'clock will precede dancing. The proceeds will be added to the building fund.

TRIBUTE TO SPELLMAN.

The Bachelors' Club of Ward 7 has adopted resolutions which pay tribute to the memory of Edward D. Spellman, a member who recently died, and extending sympathy to his family.

NEW YORKER WEDS RICH WESTERN GIRL

NEW YORK, March 2.—Dispatches from Sioux City, Iowa, to-day state that John Fox, Jr., son of former Senator John Fox, president of the Democratic Club, had been married there to Marie Theresa Holland, daughter of Captain Holland, a multimillionaire mine owner, of San Francisco. Mr. Fox went to Sioux City from Sioux Falls, S. D., where he had been divorced from his first wife, who was Miss Constance Levien, of New York.

MAN MADE OR MARRED BY MARRIAGE

—*Rev. C. L. Page.*

In a sermon on matrimony the Rev. C. L. Page of the Dudley Street Baptist Church said that a marriage made or marred the average man.

"It is apt," he said, "to be a vestibule to heaven or hell.

"It might be hard to prove, from present conditions, that marriage is not a failure.

"There are more than enough good women to go around, and who, with half a chance, would make good wives.

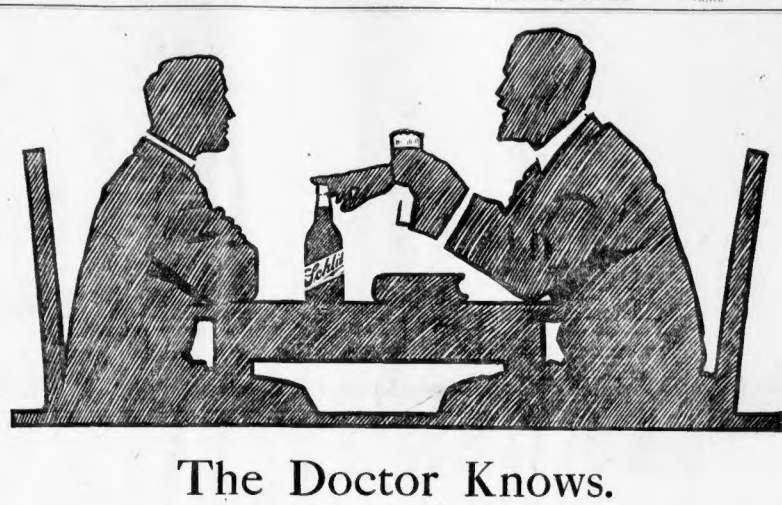
"Mothers and fathers are to blame for good marriage material being short. But this responsibility is largely shared by public and Sunday school failure and pastoral neglect.

"There is tremendous guilt with lawmakers who have made divorce so easy. Marriage is no man-made arrangement; divorce is. Divorce with re-marriage was legislated in hell.

"Except in the rarest instances, young couples should never attempt the destructive boarding house life. A woman who is unwilling to care for a home is not likely to care long for a husband."

TRIES SUICIDE THRICE.

WORCESTER, March 2.—Her third attempt at suicide having proved unsuccessful, Mrs. Mary Maynard of Brookfield is recovering at the City Hospital. Mrs. Maynard, who is forty-two years old, has been visiting her sister at No. 544 Southbridge street.



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Mirandy on Parental Responsibility--By Dorothy Dix

"DE odder night," remarked Mirandy, "we was all a-sectin' around de evenin' lamp des as ca'm an' saterfied as a basket of kittens, when all to oncest like flung down his paper, an' says:

"'Ole woman, pack up yo' duds an' git ready to move, by I is gwine to hike out to Injyany. Dat sho'ly is de promisedest lan' for de yo' downtrodden married man.'

"'What fer?' axes I.

"'Hit's a lan' flowin' wid milk an' honey, an' good horse sense,' goes on he, 'an' I sho'ly is gwine out dere to share in de dispensation.'

"'Maybe so,' 'spons I, 'but what's took you all of a sudd'nt?'

"'De good news dat is right here in dis heah paper,' says he. 'Tis listen to dese tidin's of great joy thiss I promulgates 'em.

"'Hit says, "In de town of Wrsaw, Injyany, de 'Sufferin' Paps Club has done been organizen' an' fifty-seven members. Hit's object is to accomplish reforms in de home, an' among de t'ings dat de members is took de oath not to do is to walk de flo' day or night wid a squallin' baby, or to help in de kitchen when de daughters are givin' parties, or to comp on de back do' steps when de gals is got beaux in de parlor, an 'de wives is a-entertainin' de missionary society in de kitchen.'

"'In odder words,' says Ike, 'dis heah noble organization guarantees to a man some place in de house dat he supports by de sweat of his brow.'

Mighty Lucky

"'Humph,' 'sclaims I, 'ef any po,' misguided man t'inks dat he's gwine to squelch his women folks by jinin' a club and passin' a few resolutions, he sho'ly is barkin up de wrong tree. Women don't hev nothin' fer law, nohow, an' when a wife gits de flo' she ain't gwine to cut out none of her remarks to her husband 'bout de way he's been a-actin 'up because he belongs to de "Sufferin' Paps's Club." Naw-sir, dat she ain't. On de contrary, hit's moughty lakly dat he will belong to de Suffer' Husband's Club, too, 'fo' she gits through wid him.'

"'Hit's a grand idea for de sufferin' papas to band togedder,' says Ike, sorter under his breath, lak he is a-communin' wid hisself.

"'Sufferin' cats!' 'sclaims I, 'ef dere is any afflicted pussons dat's got a right to jine togedder membership, hit's de sufferin' mothers dat's got to be rockin' de cradle, an' washin' little faces, an' wipin' little noses, an' handin' out bread and molasses all day long, whilst dey grannies wid de cook stove an' de wash tub an' de sewin' machine wid one hand, an' holds a baby on deir hip wid anudder.'

"'Dat's a woman's business,' says Ike. 'Dat's one of de holy privileges of mudderhood.'

"'I ain't got no objection to mudderhood, except dat hit's a little too much of a monopoly to suit my taste. I des yearns to divide the responsibility of de chillen wid you, an' ef hit's sech a privilege to me to set up an' hold a little han' of an evenin', I feels lak I ought to share hit wid you; an' dat's de reason dat now an' agin I goes off an' lets you do yo' turn at nussin' de twins, an' keeping de peace betwixt Thomas Jefferson an' little Teddy Roosterfelt.

"'You ain't thinkin' 'bout gwine out his evenin', is you, Mirandy?' axes Ike, gettin' sort of ash colored, 'because I ain't able to grapple wid dem little devils by myself.'

"'Dere you is,' 'spons I. 'When folks is a-sayin' dat Ma'y Jane she'ly is a fine figger of a gal, an' dat she is des as purt an' dey make 'em, I hopes you a-bringin' up de chain gang, an' trash on de street, is because de only P'a dey had was a man, an' a woman ain't got enough muscle to raise a family by herself.'

"'Well, a man ought to have some rights in his house,' says Ike, an' dat's de reason I'm de wild d's a'ready of sufferin' papas; an' I is gwine to jine 'em ef dey ever starts a branch up heah in dis benighted country, whar de women rules de roost.'

"'Well, den,' says I, 'you'se got de right of payin' de bills an' takin' de credit when things go right, an' I is got de privilege of doin' de work an' de bossin', so hit looks to me lak we breaks 'bout even.'

DOROTHY DIX.

BOSTON AMERICAN DAILY SHORT STORY

Amor Triumphans

By Anna Latt-Felsberg

THE old Fru Petersen stood on the plazza of her beautiful cottage surrounded by roses, quite a charming picture to look at with her snow white hair and her pink and white complexion, with just the least suspicion of tan.

At last the letter carrier came and handed her a letter. She recognized the writing at once, it was in the large passionate writing of her daughter. She opened the letter and read it, and blushed a little.

It was just like her Ina, her only daughter, who had inherited the fiery temperament of her late husband. She always reminded her of him. It was as if she read a message from him when she read through this letter with its strong expression of passionate love just like the one he had felt for her when he declared his young love.

Fru Petersen had never been a stern or severe mother, but always the friendly confidential adviser and comrade of her child, and this had kept her young, so that she even now felt as did the young girl herself.

The daughter wrote:

"My own dear mother. I was just about to write you how dear and kind everybody is to me here, how they spoil me and pet me, when your letter came, telling me that which makes me mad with joy. My heart is beating as if it would burst through my waist, and my thoughts are flying to you. Mother, he is coming! He is coming to you, and I am not there to receive him, to look into his dear eyes, and to shake his hand. Oh, mother, you must tell him how much I love him, how passionate and indescribable is my love for him. Oh, mother, and we have nothing to give him, only love—love—love."

Fru Petersen drew a deep sigh.

"The money! the accursed money," she thought, and tears came into her eyes. For a moment she stood there immovable, her thoughts far away; then she again took up the letter and read "And if he should not love you, I should be so terribly unhappy. That is why I am not there when he comes to you now. If he should not have come as he promised me to do when we parted at Heringsdorf, I should have gone insane or died from sorrow.

"Mother, dear, you are so good, and know so much—you can do this if you want to: give him to me and he shall never regret it. I will scatter roses on his path—only petals and buds, and no thorns. Oh, mother, mother, give him to me!"

Waiting

Fru Petersen had just laid the passionate letter on the table when she saw that it was time to expect him within a few minutes. Only a few minutes and he would be there. Inside, in the cozy living-room, stood the coffee table served waiting for him, the son of her best friend.

She heard her friend's soft, plaintive voice in her ears as she had heard it a few moments before: "My only son must marry money; he must and shall. I am sorry. His education has been so expensive, his brothers will cost just as much, and if my husband should die then he must look out for his brothers; with the small pension I will have I cannot do it."

"But, my dear, what makes you have thoughts like this? Your husband is strong, hale and hearty, and looks as if he might live to be ninety years old."

Then the two young people had met, her daughter and the son of her friend. The mother herself had brought them together.

Like a child, a bashful child, Ina had taken hold of her mother's arm.

"Mother, I know that I shall fall in love with him, and you say that he—he must marry a rich girl!"

Heartthingy, mother and daughter came forth to meet him.

"Child, child, you almost make me feel afraid myself. Come now, and be a manly girl.

Thus they met at the shore of the Baltic.

With his earnest brown eyes he looked at Ina, who looked at him again just as earnestly in return, and then down bashfully into the water.

Cold, polite, feeling as if they had no interest together, the two young people walked along the beach. Ina, in spite of her calm appearance was deeply hurt and after they had walked some time in silence she began to talk, because she must.

"Dangerous"

In her natural, simple, child-like manner, she began to talk, to tell a host one of her old thoughts, of people and of life. He listened to her with growing interest, and was struck by the maturity of keenness in her words.

Often she looked at him, but when she met his eyes she seemed to be scared, and stared and look up again for some time.

He had heard of her for years.

"Ina—Ina—always I heard this name, always I heard you speaking of her as lovely, child-like, unspoiled girl. I should like to meet this Ina, whom you say I am to love with."

"Now be careful," his younger brother said with a smile. "This Ina might be dangerous to your heart."

What should, what could she do to fulfill this wish? His words passionately, sickly fond of money, and knew nothing higher in life than the possession of it. All these thoughts raced through her head, and all the time she heard the call, "Give him to me."

The doorbell rang—he was coming. Nervous, anxious, full of fear, she waited him, and just as he was about to enter her eyes fell on her mother's letter, and she put it in her pocket. That is to say, she wanted to put it in her pocket, but her hand trembled, and it missed the pocket and the letter fell down to the floor unnoticed by her. When he sat down it was right at his feet, but he did not see it either. His eyes were looking all over, evidently seeking someone.

"Ina is not yet at home?"

Fru Petersen was in dispair, so it was either accident or providence which made the letter fall on the carpet near his foot. He was looking at it now, and his eyes recognized it immediately, the large, passionate, clear writing of the girl who loved.

After that, he hardly heard what his hostess said to him, and Fru Petersen was wondering what made him suddenly so absent minded, and what might be the cause of the sudden expression of happiness in his face. She spoke to him of everything, but not one word about Ina; Ina was in his heart. She was confused as she had never been before, and she was angry with herself, and called herself a miserable, cowardly mother.

"Far Richer!"

Ina's name was on her lips all the time, but not once did she pronounce it.

But then, he began, and in every sentence was the name of Ina. He questioned her, cross-examined her and could never hear enough.

Hour after hour passed by, and still the two were sitting there chatting and between them was the spirit of Ina.

It was nearly dinner time and Fru Petersen had to go into the kitchen to give some orders to the servants.

As soon as she was out of the door he picked up the letter, he felt as if he could not get go home, as if he must read it, as if his home was now with this old lady and her mother.

Fru Petersen did not belong to the mothers who understand to take advantage of every moment, but now, when the ice was broken, she began to tell him of traits which showed the beautiful qualities of her daughter's heart.

They dined together, and returned together to the living room, and then they chat until about 10 o'clock he looked at his watch. He was surprised at the late as that. Never had the hours passed so quickly.

Suddenly the bell rang violently. Fru Petersen was startled, and he listened intensely. The door opened.

"Mother, I cannot stand it any longer —Oh, I beg your pardon, are you still busy?"

Blushing to the roots of her hair, bashful, half ashamed, she stood in front of him.

Fru Petersen understood that her presence was hardly needed. None of them even heard that she said: "I will go out and pay the driver."

Smiling, supremely happy, he pulled her letter from his pocket and showed it to her.

"I have read that," he said, triumphantly, and his eyes laughed.

"We're rich, so rich, far richer than mother ever wished and hoped for."

MRS. TRUBBELL

BY T. E. POWERS

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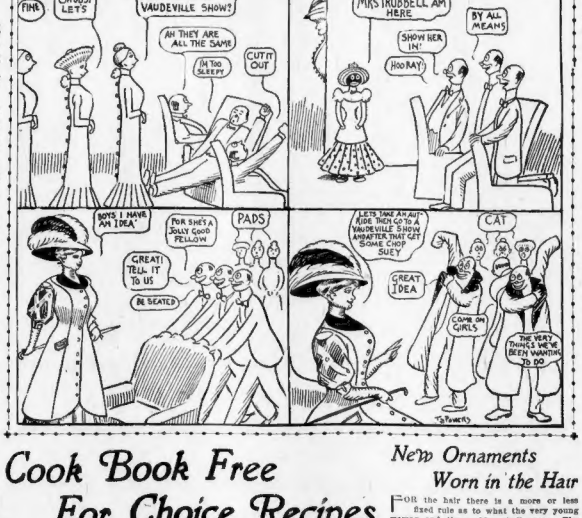

BEATRICE FAIRFAX ON MONEY AND OLD AGE

MISS SYLVIA GREEN, the daughter of Mrs. Hetty Green, the richest woman in the world, is about to marry. Report says that she is marrying a man much older than herself, adds that he is an accomplished leader of cotillions.

Is does not sound a very romantic union, does it?

Age and money.

Miss Green is almost the richest heiress in the world, and with her money brings her nothing better than social position and a husband old enough to be her father.

There are thousands of young people struggling along on $15 a week who will get more sheer pleasure out of living than this young woman and her elderly suitor.

May and December cannot wed as harmoniously as May and June.

Youth must wed youth if the union is to be one of perfect companionship and congeniality.

Miss Green, with all her fortune, might wed an earnest, intelligent young man and be perfectly happy under his protection and guidance.

Love to Be "Bossed"

EVERY woman loves to be taken care of, to be tenderly "bossed" a little, to be guarded and shielded from the rough edges of life.

But if she marries a man much older than herself she misses all that.

She is the one who is guardian; she must bear the responsibilities. Instead of his taking care of her, she takes care of him.

And so she misses the sweetest, best part of love.

In this union there will be a great deal of money and very little romance.

If Miss Green inherits her mother's financial tendencies she will consider romance on absolutely valueless asset.

I wonder if this richest of women realizes that all her hundred millions could not buy one bite—one scrap of love.

Isn't it a wonderful thing that love cannot be bought—that through all the sordid, financial sides of life, love shines out a pure white flame?

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You need not envy her, my dears, the least bit in the world.

No Place for Envy

EVERY one of you will have the chance to marry for love. No man will seek you because you have a fortune awaiting you.

The man who woos you will do so because he cannot be happy without you.

In the Green-Wilks marriage there is on one side a hard-headed young business, and on the other a society man, a leader of cotillions.

Does that combination arouse any envy in your hearts?

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Expert Advice on Health and Beauty

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DEAR PROFESSOR:

Please publish the formula for orange flower face cream. Will it grow hair?

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DANDRUFF CURE

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Will you kindly give me a good dandruff remedy? Also tell me how to make a good shampoo.

NONA.

FOR the dandruff, shampoo every ten days with egg shampoo made by mixing every egg with an ounce of water. Rub this well into the scalp and rinse thoroughly with warm, not hot, water. Be sure to get all the egg out of the hair. Massage the scalp well every night and apply the following lotion: Bay rum, ten ounces; resorcin, twenty grains; water of ammonia, two drams. This ought to relieve you of the dandruff.

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TOMORROW'S BEST BARGAINS IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

A GREAT ASSORTMENT of fine canes in fancy and natural wood handles will be on sale at Wolf's "My Charlie's" for 75 cents. These are well made with paragon frame and rubber tip, and at this low price are exceptional values.

A GREAT MARK-DOWN IN men's Norfolk and New Brunswick shirts and drawers will be made at Shepard, Norwell & Co. Tuesday. Their $1.50 values will be on sale for $1, and a lot of their $3 values will be sold for $2. These will be found excellent bargains.

IN THE LADIES' UNDERwear department of Timothy Eaton's to-morrow they will place on sale some 25-cent cotton drawers for 15 cents. They are made full size and have deep tucked hemstitched ruffle. This reduced price is made for Tuesday's sale.

J. G. SMALL ON TUESDAY WILL have a sale of soiled waists that have formerly sold for $1 and $1.50, but will be marked to 50 cents to close them out. There is a great variety of styles, some

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POTTED ROAST

TAKE meat that is left from a roast and cut in slices and lay in roasting pan; sprinkle with pepper and salt and a light layer of onions with a sprinkle of poultry dressing. Put in another layer of meat, then the onion, salt, pepper, sprinkle of poultry dressing, etc., until meat is all used. Dredge lastly with flour and water enough to barely cover. Put in the oven and let simmer three or four hours. Cover tight.

MINNIE E. McINTIRE.

Kearsarge, N. H.

BAKED INDIAN PUDDING

ONE-FOURTH cup of corn meal, one-half cup molasses, scant one-fourth teaspoon salt, one and one-half teaspoons butter, three cups milk, one egg, one-fourth cup water, dash of nutmeg, one-eighth teaspoon ginger. Put in two cups milk, one-fourth cup water and salt in double boiler. When boiling stir in meal and let it cook five minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from fire; add rest of milk, mixed with molasses, butter, egg and spice. Bake three hours in slow oven.

SADIE DE JORLOR.

No. 824 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester.

ORANGE PUDDING

PUT three ounces of sugar in a bowl; add the grated rind of one large orange, three ounces of stale sponge cake finely crumbled, and a tiny pinch of salt. Pour over these ingredients three-fourths of a cup of milk, previously scalded; then the strained juice of three oranges and three tablespoons of sugar. Thoroughly. Line a pie dish with puff paste, pour in the mixture and bake half an hour. Sprinkle the vertisd sugar, mixed with grated orange rind, over the top of pie before serving.

MISS W. J. BONAR.

No. 32 Summer street, Beachmont.

STUFFED ONIONS

ARRANGE six or eight large Bermuda onions, peeled and washed, in a baking dish, cover with boiling water slightly salted and cook for half an hour or until a wire will pierce them easily. Transfer the dish to a table, turn off all the water and with a sharp, thin blade extract the heart of the onion without breaking the outer walls. Fill the cavity with minced cold chicken and fine crumbs, seasoned with melted butter. Sprinkle buttered crumbs over the dish until it almost touches the top of the onions, cover and bake for half an hour.

MRS. W. F. NOLAN.

No. 193 Pleasant street, Worcester.

New Ornaments Worn in the Hair

FOR the hair there is a more or less fixed rule as to what the very young woman and those older shall wear. The latter invariably select flowers of a shade to harmonize with their gowns.

Some hair ornaments are a combination of ribbon, lace, silver or gilded gauze, feather shapes and flowers. Numbers of dressy forms are convex and half-moon, set jeweled forms are seen. These are usually worn with high coiffures.

Younger folks, however, arrange a more or less low coiffure and trail the flowers coquettishly at the sides.

A favorite method is to carry twisted ribbon softly over the front of the hair, threading it through the hair at the side of the head and centring it among the coils or braids or puffs at the back with flowers, jeweled gauze or other ornaments.

ABOUT FANS

HAND-PAINTED fans when on paper or satin and handsomely mounted are never out of fashion. Among the less costly fans are those made of marabout feathers, which have much of the charm of the ostrich fans. These are also large osprey fans, but these range in price very nearly, and sometimes beyond, the cost of the ostrich plume. One curious fan is fashioned from a large osprey bird, with the head in the centre of the fan and the tail with its long, drooping feathers giving the width.

BIG STRIKE AT QUARRIES THREATENED

Clash Over Wage Scale May Involve Thousands in New England.

HOLD QUINCY CONFERENCE

A great granite trade strike is threatened throughout New England and the situation is already acute in Barre, Vt., and Quincy, Mass., its two biggest centres. About 5,000 men are already affected in the Vermont district by the Barre strike which began to-day. A big strike has been feared in Quincy and reports of unrest come from other quarters.

James Duncan, a member of the executive committee of the International Granite Cutters' Association, said of the trouble to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day:

"Work is reported suspended to-day in quarries in Barre, Montpelier, Northfield and Williamstown and vicinity, because no settlement was reached on Saturday between the granite cutters and the manufacturers. But a committee representing the cutters, local shareholders and publishers will hold a conference with manufacturers to-day and another attempt will be made to come to an agreement.

Minimum Wage the Issue.

"The difficulty has arisen because of a disagreement as to what shall be the minimum wage scale. The cutters ask for 40 cents an hour as the minimum, the establishing piece work rates to prevail. The manufacturers only offer 37½ cents, but say that they will make 40 cents the minimum if the cutters will agree to the piece work rates.

Charles J. French, president of the New Hampshire Federation of Labor and a member of the Granite Cutters' Union, said:

"I do not look for any trouble in Concord. The agreement between the men and the manufacturers does not expire until April 30, and I expect the differences will be amicably adjusted. The 250 cutters in that city have been working on a basis of 37½ cents, and they have asked for 40 cents minimum and Saturday half-holiday for four months.

In Hands of Committee.

Mr. Duncan said that in Quincy the only disagreement now existing is over the minimum scale for polishers. They want $3 a day. The manufacturers say they have no intention of cutting wages, but do not want to sign a scale agreement. The matter is in the hands of a committee and a peaceful settlement is hoped for.

Reports from Westerly, R. I., state that the unions had made no concessions and are standing firm for the 40 cents minimum. The strike of 200 cutters was threatened to-day.

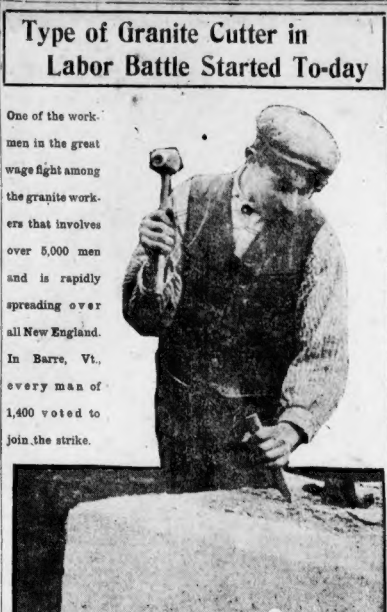
The Barre cutters held a meeting when the five-year agreement between them and the manufacturers was expiring, and every man of the 1,400 present voted to suspend work.

In Gloucester and vicinity the men and manufacturers have failed to come to an understanding. The employers were willing to grant an advance in pay but wanted a three years' agreement, while the union men insist that one year's duration is long enough. The Derby Cutters' Union voted to accept the three year stipulation.

As the situation stood it was believed that a strike would involve about 700 of the quarry workers.

Type of Granite Cutter in Labor Battle Started To-day

One of the workmen in the great wage fight among the granite workers that involves over 5,000 men and is rapidly spreading over all New England. In Barre, Vt., every man of 1,400 voted to join the strike.



WOMAN'S DEATH WAS CLIMAX TO PISTOL FIGHT

Los Angeles Detectives Throw New Light on Mysterious Noyes Tragedy.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 2.—That the murder of Mrs. Charlotte E. Noyes, the wealthy widow of Lawyer Noyes, here on McComas, in her apartments early Saturday morning, was the climax to a pistol duel in which the dead woman fired two shots, and that he will clear his client on the ground of self-defense, was the startling statement made by Attorney Earl Rogers, McComas's counsel, to-day.

In support of these statements Mr. Rogers pointed out the discovery of the bullet holes in the walls of Mrs. Noyes's room, and the finding of one bullet embedded in the woman's neck. Since only two of the six cartridges in the revolver found on McComas had been exploded, it is obvious a second weapon must have figured during the struggle. However, after a thorough search of the house conducted by detectives no trace of a second revolver could be found.

To-day's developments strengthens the theory that the murder was the sequel of the long series of quarrels between the couple.

These quarrels caused a break between the pair but a week ago, when McComas insisted that Mrs. Noyes should stop her gambling at the race track or he would leave her to shift for herself.

McComas's condition became worse last night and he was removed to the county hospital. To-day he is much improved. He will be arraigned in the police court to-morrow.

Of all the men who have been held at the city jail on a charge of murder Mc-Comas is the most popular. Mayor Harper and other city officials are numbered in the list of those who like him.

The police are confident that Mc-Comas did not throw the acid upon himself as he frightfully injured. His left ear is almost burned off. The fiery liquid spattered over the left side of his face, it ate deeply, dripped down over the left side of the face and trickled into the corner of his mouth. His face does not look human. The hair is burned as though a branding iron had been set upon it, and the lips are so swollen as to make speech almost an impossibility.

RHEUMATISM

I want every chronic rheumatic to throw away all medicines, all liniments, all plasters, and give MUNYON'S 5X RHEUMATISM CURE a trial. No matter what your doctor may say, no matter how prejudiced you may be against all advertised remedies, go at once to your druggist and get a bottle of the 5X RHEUMATISM CURE. There are 100 doses in a bottle, and, as one lady says, "Every tablet is worth more than a diamond of the same size." A few doses will take away all aches and pains, and a cure generally follows before one bottle is used.

DUBLIN JEWEL THIEF IS NOW SAFE FROM ARREST

FEAR OF LIGHT ON NEW SCANDAL LEADS TO ABANDONMENT OF PURSUIT.

DUBLIN, Ire., March 2.—The robbery of Sirrey informed Sir Arthur Vicars when that Constabulary arrived about noon. the regalia of the Order of St. Patrick from the office of the Ulster King at Arms in Dublin Castle remains an unsolved mystery. Yet the report of the evidence taken before the special commission directed to inquire into the circumstances of their disappearance makes the fact that they were not stolen long before still more of a mystery.

These jewels, consisting of collars and stars worn by the Knights at the initiating of new members into the order, were worth nearly $30,000. They included one collar and star worn by the grand master, which accounts for nearly half that sum.

The principal jewels were kept in a safe in the public room of the office of arms, a room in which anybody calling at the office had access. The less valuable ones were kept in a strong room adjoining the public room. There were two keys to the safe, one kept by Sir Arthur Vicars. To the strong room there were several keys, nearly every official in the office had one. The safe was made to be placed in the strong room, but when it was delivered to the office, it was found to be too large to pass through the door, so it was left in the public room.

Find Safe Unlocked.

When King Edward was expected here early last July to install Lord Castletown as a Knight of St. Patrick, Sir Arthur Vicars, Ulster King-of-Arms and custodian of the jewels, thought it would be well to have the jewels out, to see if they were all right. He gave the safe key to the office messenger, one Sirrey (who had been in the place thirty years and whose integrity is not questioned), to get them for him. Sirrey went to the safe, but could not open it. He had been trying for a minute or two when Vicars exclaimed:

"Why, the safe is already unlocked!" he exclaimed as he pulled the handle and the door came open. He took out the cases and found that the jewels had vanished.

Sirrey, unacquainted with the working of the lock, could not turn the key because the safe was already open.

This happened on a Saturday morning.

The first person to go to the office every morning was Mrs. Farrell, who swept it. On the preceding Wednesday Sirrey had reported to Sirrey when he came that she had counted upon. That was his security against pursuit.

Send for Police.

Sir Arthur simply remarked, "Is that so?" It did not interest him. He made no further inquiry and took no further notice of the intimation.

On the next Friday morning Mrs. Farrell reported to Sirrey that she found the outer door of the strong room open and the key of the inner door in the lock. Sirrey mentioned the rather startling fact to Sir Arthur Vicars—but again he merely made the same non-committal, lackadaisical observation, "Is that so?" Again he made no inquiry as to how the keys came to be left in the strong room door, nor did he even ask if any of the jewels were gone.

On Saturday morning he sent Sirrey to open the safe, with the result above described. That was the first time in all Sirrey's long service in the office that he had ever had the key of the safe in his hands, or had been sent to open it. It is a remarkable coincidence that this should also be the time when the discovery of the robbery came to be made.

Reveals New Scandal.

The police were now sent for. They ransacked the office and it is said found certain things which have not been described, which, in conjunction with other discoveries, led them to the conclusion that the office had been used at no distant date for orgies.

The moment the authorities heard of this they became apprehensive. The police pursued their inquiries further, and their reports to the authorities made it plain that if the investigation were persisted in and if the matter ever came into court the names of persons of high title might become involved, not in the loss of the jewels, but in a scandal.

The Dublin today they will tell you in official circles that if the jewels mystery was probed to its foundations it would be found the doings of a coterie of viceroyen, highly placed both in England and Ireland, which would throw the reputed of Count Lynar's villa at Potsdam completely into the shade. So in the interests of public morals the pursuit of the jewel thief was dropped.

That was precisely what the jewel thief had counted upon. That was his security against pursuit.

FURTHER DELAY FOR HITCHCOCK

NEW YORK, March 2.—The trial of Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, was again continued today by Justice Blanchard in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court. Much interest as arrangement was effected whereby Hitchcock's attorneys will be allowed to inspect the minutes of the Grand Jury that indicted him, and for calling a special trial jury.

SNAKE IN THE CHICKEN.

OMAHA, O., March 2.—A live garter snake, twenty-one inches long, was found inside a chicken being prepared for the table at the home of Clement Hendry in this city. The chicken is supposed to have swallowed the snake while the reptile was very small.

ZIONISTS TO GREET LEADER

The Zionist Council of Boston are arranging a reception and meeting in honor of Dr. Nathan Birnbaum of Vienna, formerly a member of the Austrian Reichsrath, organizer of the Jewish National party of Austria, editor of the Volks Zeitung of Vienna and secretary of the first Zionist Congress. He will visit Boston on March 22 and will speak at Faneuil Hall.

The chairman of the committee of arrangements is Julius Meyer, president of the Zionist Council; Albert Mehlinger is secretary and Rabbi B. Herzel or Adath Jeshurun Temple, the treasurer. Among the other members of the committee are Rabbi M. M. Eleazer, S. Goldin, Rabbi Nathan Biechman, I. Harris, Miss Steinert, L. J. Lyons, Miss D. Sperling, I. Heller, Jacob de Haas, R. Silverman, H. Levenson, L. R. Pekrosky, D. A. Lourie, H. Dubinsky, J. Hirshberg and M. Singer.

COTTON MILLS START AGAIN

PLAINFIELD, Ct., March 2.—A general resumption of work among the cotton cloth mills of this locality occurred to-day. The Waurgan mills at Lockwood, Quinebaug, Dunielson and Williamsville, employing 1,500 hands, and the Sterling Printing Company's mills, at which 600 hands are employed, went on full time. Other hundred employes were also soon given employment when the Taftville and Shetucket mills resumed on full time.

CATHOLIC CHURCH LENTEN REGULATIONS

Following are the Catholic regulations for Lent in the Boston Archdiocese:

ALL the days of Lent, except Sundays, are fast days of obligation.

By an indult of the Holy See, all persons are allowed to use flesh meat on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—except the second and last Saturday.

By another indult of the Holy See working people and their families are allowed to use flesh meat on Wednesdays; except Ash Wednesday and Wednesday of Holy Week. The use of flesh meat is allowed to working people and their families on the second Saturday of Lent.

Persons bound to fast may use meat only once on these fast days; persons not bound to fast are not thus limited. The use of meat on Sunday is not limited as to the number of times.

Even those who are bound to fast may take in the morning a small piece of bread with a cup of tea, coffee, chocolate or similar drink.

At the evening meal, on account of long existing custom, the church allows the use of eggs, butter, cheese and milk.

Those who cannot conveniently take the principal meal of the day at noon time may change the order, taking a lighter meal at noon and dinner in the evening.

The use of flesh meat and fish at the same meal is not allowed even on Sunday.

Besides lard, the fat rendered from any kind of meat may be used in preparing food on any day in Lent. This dispensation is extended to the days of abstinence and the fast days throughout the year.)

The following persons are exempted from the obligation of fasting: All under twenty-one years of age and those of advanced age; the sick; those who cannot fast without grave injury to their health; women during pregnancy or while nursing infants, and all those whose duties are of a very laborious or exhausting nature. Persons thus exempt from fasting are still bound by the law of abstinence, except in cases of sickness or when dispensed.

A custom to be commended is the abstinence from intoxicating drinks during Lent, in honor of the sacred thirst of our Divine Saviour.

The usual lenten devotions will be provided in the churches of the diocese and the faithful should be reminded that, although they be exempted from fasting, they should endeavor, by earnest prayer, heartfelt contrition and the worthy receiving of the sacraments, to profit by the special grace of the holy season.

By order of the most reverend archbishop,

M. J. SPLAINE, Chancellor.

February 28, 1908.

"SHANG" NAILS STORY OF BEING CHINESE GIANT

Former Showman and Liquor Seller Tells How He Was Converted to Church Audience.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 2.—"Shang" Bailey, the former Johnston road house keeper, but for the past three years an active worker in the religious field, told his life story last evening at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, and incidentally exploded the theory that he was ever P. T. Barnum's—or anyone else's—Chinese giant.

"I saw in the paper," said "Shang," "that 'Shang' Bailey, Barnum's Chinese giant, was going to speak here to-night. Now a good many people think I was a 'Chinese giant' with Barnum, I suppose, but I wasn't, and it was a newspaper man that started that story."

Mr. Bailey talked to the large congregation for an hour and a half and told his story, as he has frequently related it, since giving up his roadhouse, throwing his liquor in the sea and changing his habits of life. He gave all the details of his conversion, told how he returned to the government nearly $2,000 which he had received "for a bullet-proof iron door" at the first Bull Run," and so on, the whole making an interesting story, related in a simple, unassuming manner, exactly as he might tell it to a casual visitor to the house where he is still living in Johnston. He has never sold that house, he says, because if he did somebody would get hold of it and go into the business which he has outlawed. So he stays there, and has religious services every Sunday, in the big room where he entertained such in years gone by a very different sort of a crowd used to congregate.

"Shang's" views on some matters are cynical, in spite of the fact that he says he is better satisfied with life than in the old days. Telling of his life as a roadhouse proprietor he says he used to run a gambling place and to sell liquor on Sundays. He paid $120 a year for this, he says, to "a man who was paid a lot more to stop such things." Apropos to this, he says he knows of only two liquor dealers who ever go to jail are "those who haven't got money enough to buy protection for."

"Politics and rum selling go together, remarked "Shang," crisply.

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REPORT SON OF WANAMAKER DIES IN PARIS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Cable dispatches received in New York from Paris this morning state that Thomas B. Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, died in the French capital last night. There were no details as to how he died.

Thomas Wanamaker was the owner of the Philadelphia North American and the partner of his father in the Philadelphia department store. As owner of the North American he was a bitter opponent of the late Senator Matthew Quay and did much to discredit the Republican boss in Pennsylvania.

700 OUT IN GLOUCESTER.

GLOUCESTER, March 2.—No agreement was reached between the representatives of the quarrymen's and engineers' unions and the granite manufacturers at a conference in Rockport on a new price schedule.

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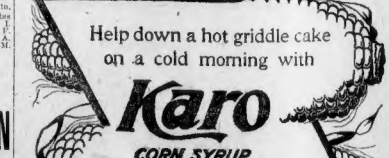

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CHOP OFF HEADS, CUT PAY, URGES THE FINANCE BOARD

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL SHOWN THE WAY TO SAVE CITY $65,000 IN SALARIES.

Mayor Hibbard was advised by the Finance Commission to-day that the financial condition of the city warranted not only a sweeping reduction of the number of municipal employes, but a big cut in salaries of many who are retained. This is the week when the Mayor's axe, if has been stated, is to do most active execution on his own initiative.

The Finance Commission says employes and salaries are excessive in all departments. In to-day's communication to the Mayor and City Council it says in part:

Too Many Assessors.

"There are nine principal assessors paid $4,000 each, with $500 extra for the chairman and $200 for the secretary. This is $1,000 each more than was paid in 1895. The commission believes that three is no longer need for nine principal assessors and recommends that the number be reduced to five. It also believes that their salaries should be reduced to $3,500 each with $500 extra for the chairman and $200 extra for the secretary.

"The connecting superintendent receives a salary of $4,000 besides a house with light and fuel, and the use of a horse and stable. The commission believes that $3,000 in addition to house rent, light and fuel is an ample and liberal salary, and that the compensation of the superintendent should be reduced to this figure.

"There should be an entire reorganization of the offices connected with the city council. The commission recommends the immediate abolition of the departments of clerk of committees and clerk of common council, and that their duties be transferred to the city clerk and city messenger departments. A salary of $2,500 is ample compensation for the duties performed by the city messenger, and the commission recommends that his salary be established at the figure.

"Abolish Lamp Department."

"The commission renews the recommendation that the lamp department be abolished.

"The commission recommends that the public grounds department be consolidated with the park department.

"The soldiers' relief commissioner receives $3,500. The commission believes that $2,000 is an ample salary.

"The city treasurer receives a salary nominally of $6,000, but his real compensation aggregates $8,200. The commission recommends salaries be readjusted so that his net compensation shall be $6,000.

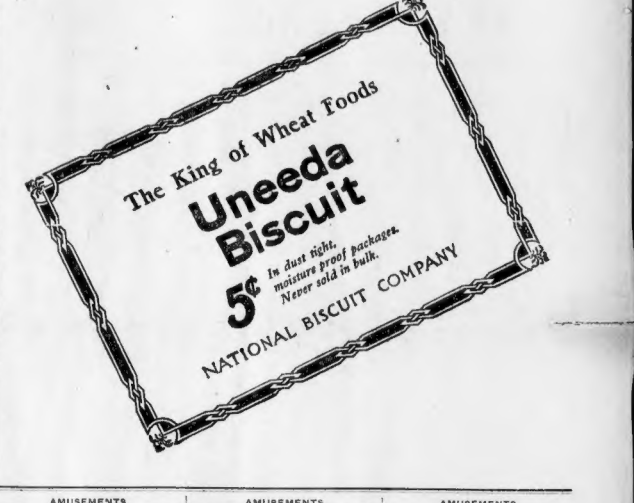
Saving of $65,000.

"The commission can see no reason for the employment of three assistant water commissioners. It renews its recommendation that these offices be abolished.

"The water of weights and measures receives $3,000 annually, and his ten deputies $1,000 each, $2,500 for the sealer and $1,200 for each of his deputies will be a very liberal compensation. The ordinance authorizing the appointment of eight additional deputy sealers should be repealed. The entire department should be transferred to the police department.

"The commission believes that the wire department should be abolished, and its duties transferred to the building department.

"If these recommendations are adopted, a direct saving of about $65,000 can be made."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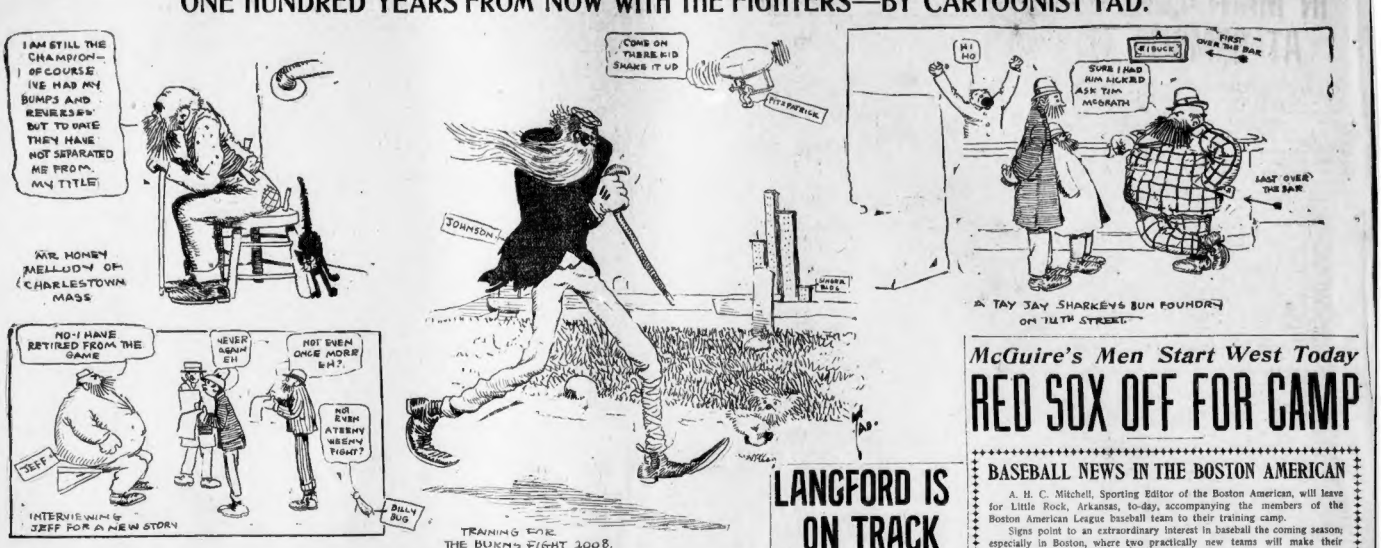
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LANGFORD IS ON TRACK OF BURNS

PRINCIPAL BOUTS CARDED THIS WEEK

MONDAY.

Jimmy Walsh vs. Joe Wagner and four other six-round bouts at the Roanoke A. C.; Kid Sliva vs. Arthur Cote, at Augusta, Me.; Jack O'Brien vs. Jack Hosmer, at Philadelphia; George Ashe vs. Kid Wise, at New Bedford.

TUESDAY.

Sam Langford vs. Joe Jeannette at Juarez, Mex.; Spider Sullivan vs. Battling Nelson, at Los Angeles; Joe Walcott vs. Young Corbett, at Colma, Cal.; Young Loughrey vs. Young Kenny, at Gilmore's Gymnasium, New York; Jimmy Fitzgerald vs. Young Lewis, at New York.

WEDNESDAY.

Bert Keyes vs. Young Loughrey, at Sharkey A. C., New York.

THURSDAY.

Jack Flanagan vs. Mike Grady, at Bangor, Me.; Jack Dillon vs. Sailor Burke, at Long Acre A. C., New York; Kid Graham vs. Soldier Burns, at Baltimore.

FRIDAY.

Young Donahue vs. Terry Deshler, at Thornton, R. I.; Young Kibby vs. Dick Nelson at Lawrence; Willie Moody vs. Andy McGarry, at Philadelphia.

SATURDAY.

Terry Martin vs. Jack Blackburn, at Philadelphia; Johnny Thompson vs. Johnny Murphy, at Colma, Cal.

If Sam Langford can conquer big Joe Jeannette of New York at the Armory A. A. to-morrow night in their twelve-round bout then he will put one candidate for the scalp of Tommy Burns for the heavyweight championship out of business.

The big black is on the track of Tommy Burns and only strength of having put up a draw with Jack Johnson at Portland, Me., last year should be recognized and he is justified in so doing.

He has beaten all the heavy men over in New York and has had some terrific fights with Langford, getting the best of him in one encounter up in Lowell.

There are so few men in the country who will take a chance with Langford that he finds it difficult to get on matches and for that reason has to go out of his class, but in Jeannette he meets a man nearer his own weight than Jack Johnson. When the pair met at Chelsea it was one of the best contests ever seen in the ring, as both are of the toughest kind and can stand any amount of punishment.

That the bout will be full of heavy and fast going from bell to bell is generally conceded, as Langford is one of the hard-teutoned boxers who is always forcing.

Jeannette has been coming to the front rapidly of late and, seen in the club fights, careful handling and clothum sports expect that he will be pushing Langford and the latter's well known reputation.

It will be a great opportunity to see Langford perform, as it's a rare occasion that a good man with any cleverness has faced him in the local ring. In meeting Gerry he went up against a strong husky boxer, who was a poor man to bring the best out of a scientific performer like the colored middleweight.

McGuire's Men Start West Today

RED SOX OFF FOR CAMP

BASEBALL NEWS IN THE BOSTON AMERICAN

A. H. C. Mitchell, Sporting Editor of the Boston American, will leave for Little Rock, Arkansas, to-day, accompanying the members of the Boston American League baseball team to their training camp.

Signs point to an extraordinary interest in baseball the coming season; especially in Boston, where two practically new teams will make their strongest bid for patronage.

Mr. Mitchell will be on the ground from the time the Red Sox toss the first ball at Little Rock and every phase of the Spring training will be carefully and fairly reported for readers of the Boston American.

A staff correspondent of the Boston American will also go South with Boston National League players when they leave for Augusta, Ga., on March 12.

Of course, the best pictures as well as the best reports from the training camps will be printed in this newspaper.

A. H. C. Mitchell, *Boston American's Baseball Expert.*

By A. H. C. Mitchell.

This is the day of migration for the members of the Boston American League baseball club. To-day a large-sized squad starts for the training camp at Little Rock. Two or three players are already in New York awaiting the Boston delegation, which will not arrive in the metropolis until 3 o'clock this afternoon. President John I. Taylor heads the Boston crowd, and he will pilot the party that gathers at the Twenty-third Street ferry of the B. & O. railroad at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon to make the start for the Arkansas capital.

Mr. Trumbo, containing uniforms and other gear worn by the modern ball player, bat bags and the personal effects of the players and war correspondents, were sent ahead on Sunday trains, and it was expected that the impedimenta would be loaded on the Little Rock train before the party arrived.

Small Portion Starts from the East.

Only a small portion of the aggregation was booked to start from the East. From the Pacific coast three or four players are on their way to the training quarters, and a like number from the Middle West have also started for the scene of early action. At Cincinnati half a dozen more players will join the travellers from New York, and when the entire outfit, including the players now at Hot Springs, is gathered at Little Rock it will number close to thirty-five men, war correspondents and all.

It will be some time before the players find out each others' first names and for a while it will be "Mr. Blank, will you kindly pass me that ball," or "Mr. Bilsk, pardon me, but will you give yourself the pain to inform me if it's my turn to bat?" In a few days, however, the polite business will be thrown in the rubbish heap and it will be "Hey, there, Jocko, get a move on and run the ball this way," and "Stand aside, Kid, while I knock the cover off the pill."

It was a light-hearted crowd that prepared to leave Boston to-day. Professor Charlie Green, with his electric battery and a sripful of bandages and adhesive tape, was very full of ginger. Knuy him not. A week's hard work with a score or more of muscle-sore athletes to rub down.

Will Watch the Young Timber Closely.

If the Red Sox do not make a good showing in the coming championship race it will not be the fault of preparation. All that could be done to get together a fast aggregation of ball players has been done by the management. Manager McGuire is no less anxious than President Taylor to get his lamps on the baseball timber that has been tied up in American League contracts. It will take some tall thinking on the part of the veteran Deacon to make his final selection—to say which men he will keep and which men he will allow to drift back to the minors. Some of the recruits will doubtless need a bit more seasoning before they will be ready for the major league banquet.

Thousands of dollars are spent yearly by the owners of the big teams in trying out young material. The big cities demand the best, but it costs a lot of money to get the best.

At the baseball meeting in New York last week McGuire expressed himself as satisfied with the material he had to work with, and expressed his confidence that Boston would have a fast, clean team in the field for the championship race of 1908.

Well, the sound of the bat will soon be loud in the land and the hopes and fears of the owners and managers will be realized.

Many New Faces Will Be Seen on the Diamond this Year

LEAGUE TEAMS' ROSTER

The sixteen teams in the two major leagues have again engaged many young players with the prospect of adding strength to their nines, but the weeding out process has been engaging the attention of the managers for some time. Wonderful tales are being sent out of the South about this and that player being such a "wonderful find" that the veteran player is looking to his laurels, but after the preliminary work has been finished the home fans will again see before them nearly all the favorites they have worshipped in previous past. Here are the rosters of the clubs of both leagues comprising the players who will likely be prominent in the championship season. The teams will be picked from the following players:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston.

Manager—JAMES McGUIRE.
Catchers—Criger, Carrigan, McGuire, F. Donahue, McFarland.
Pitchers—Young, Tannehill, Winter, Dinneen, Glaze, Morgan, Burchell, Cicotte, Harris, Maire, Robertson.
First Base—Unglaub.
Second Base—Laporte.
Third Base—Lord.
Shortstop—Wagner.
Outfielders—Harrett, Thoney, Gessler, Sullivan, Cravath, Carlisle, McBride.
Utility Players—F. Donahue, McConnell.

Chicago.

Manager—FIELDER JONES.
Catchers—Sullivan, Hart, Armbruster, Weaver and Shaw.
Pitchers—Walsh, White, Smith, Owen, Altrock, Dick, Fiene, Mauck, Most, Olmstead, Patterson and Speer.
First Base—Donovan.
Second Base—Davis.
Third Base—Tannehill.
Shortstop—Parent.
Outfielders—Jones, Hahn, Dougherty, Anderson and Lejeune.
Utility Players—Katz and Purtell.

New York.

Manager—CLARKE GRIFFITH.
Catchers—Kleinow, Rickey, Sweeney.
Pitchers—Chesbro, Orth, Hogg, Newton, Castleton, Doyle, Griffith, Glade, Hughes, Keefe, Neuer and Zeller.
First Base—Chase.
Second Base—Niles.
Third Base—Moriarty.
Shortstop—Elberfeld.
Outfielders—Keeler, Hemphill, Conroy and Stahl.
Utility Players—Ball, Bell and Lake.

Cleveland.

Manager—N. LAJOIE.
Catchers—Remis, Clarke and Wakefield.
Pitchers—Joss, Rhoades, Lieibhardt, Berger, Clarkson, Chech, Hess, Lattimer and Talebian.
First Base—Stovall.
Second Base—Lajoie.
Third Base—Bradley.
Shortstop—Turner.
Outfielders—Elick, Hinchman, Birmingham and Hay.
Utility Players—Perring and Nill.

Philadelphia.

Manager—CONNIE MACK.
Catchers—Powers, Schreck and Ford.
Pitchers—Plank, Bender, Coombs, Dygert, Bartley, Duniman and Vickers.
First Base—Davis.
Second Base—Murphy.
Third Base—J. Collins.
Shortstop—Barry.
Outfielders—Hartsel, Oldring, Seybold and Lord.
Utility Player—E. Collins.

Detroit.

Manager—H. JENNINGS.
Catchers—Thomas, Schmidt, Payne and Archer.
Pitchers—Donovan, Mullin, Killian, Siever, Summers, Warhop and Willetts.
First Base—Rossman.
Second Base—Schaefer.
Third Base—Coughlin.
Shortstop—O'Leary.
Outfielders—Cobb, Crawford, McIntyre and Jones.
Utility Players—Downs, Killifer and Cockhill.

Washington.

Manager—JOSEPH CANTILLON.
Catchers—Warner, Black, Street and Kaine.
Pitchers—Johnson, Hughes, Patten, Persons, Falkenberg, Gehring, C. Smith and Oberlin.
First Base—Freeman.
Second Base—Delehanty.
Third Base—Altizer.
Shortstop—McBride.
Outfielders—Ganley, Pickering, Milan, Clymer and Keister.
Utility Players—Shipke and Burns.

St. Louis.

Manager—JAMES McALEER.
Catchers—O'Connor, Spencer, Stephens, Blue and Wells.
Pitchers—Howell, Powell, Pelty, Waddell, Diamond, Hamilton, Heidt, Perrit and Graham.
First Base—T. Jones.
Second Base—Williams.
Third Base—Perrit.
Shortstop—Wallace.
Outfielders—Stone, C. Jones, Hoffman and Swayne.
Utility Players—Dantzell and Yeager.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston.

Manager—JOSEPH KELLEY.
Catchers—Bowerman and Graham.
Pitchers—Boultes, Dorner, Flaherty, Lindaman, Pfeffer, Young and Ferguson.
First Base—Mclean.
Second Base—Ritchey.
Third Base—Brain.
Shortstop—Dolan.
Outfielders—Bates, Beaumont, Browne and Kelley.
Utility Players—Sweeney and Hall.

Chicago.

Manager—F. L. CHANCE.
Catchers—Kling, Moran, Evans, Otis and Archer.
Pitchers—Brown, Overall, Reulbach, Pfiester, Lundgren, Fraser, Durbin and M. Walsh.
First Base—Chance.
Second Base—Evers.
Third Base—Steinfeldt.
Shortstop—Tinker.
Outfielders—Sheckard, Slagle and Schulte.
Utility Players—Hofman, Howard and Elston.

New York.

Manager—JOHN J. McGRAW.
Catchers—Bresnahan, Needham and Jarvis.
Pitchers—Mathewson, McGinnity, Ames, Wiltse and Taylor.
First Base—Tenney.
Second Base—Doyle.
Third Base—Devlin.
Shortstop—Bridwell.
Outfielders—Shannon, Seymour and Donlin.
Utility Players—Strang, Hanniran and Merkle.

Philadelphia.

Manager—W. J. MURRAY.
Catchers—Doolin, Donovan, Crist and Dooin.
Pitchers—Sparks, Brown, Corridon, Moren, McQuillan, Pittinger and Ritchie.
First Base—Titus.
Second Base—Knabe.
Third Base—Courtney, Grant.
Shortstop—Doolin.
Outfielders—Magee, Thomas, Titus, McIlvaine and Osborn.
Utility Players—J. Wagner, Gleason and Donahue.

Cincinnati.

Manager—JOHN GANZEL.
Catchers—Schlei and McLean.
Pitchers—Weimer, Ewing, Coakley, Hitt, Upp and Hall.
First Base—Ganzel.
Second base—Huggins.
Third Base—Mowrey.
Shortstop—Lobert and Holmwitt.
Outfielders—Odwell, Mitchell, Kane and McGilvray.
Utility Players—Kreeger and Miller.

Brooklyn.

Manager—P. J. DONOVAN.
Catchers—Bergen and Ritter.
Pitchers—McIntyre, Bell, Rucker, Pastorius, Scanlan, Wilhelm, Strickletl and Doescher.
First Base—Jordan.
Second Base—Alperman.
Third Base—Bergen.
Shortstop—Lewis.
Outfielders—Batch, Maloney, Lumley and Burch.
Utility Players—Hummel and McLaue.

St. Louis.

Manager—J. McCLOSKEY.
Catchers—Marshall, Biles and Hostetter.
Pitchers—Karger, Beebe, Fromme, McGlynn, Raymond, Leah and Higgenbotham.
First Base—Kountzby.
Second Base—Gilbert.
Third Base—Byrne.
Shortstop—O'Rourke or Achenlach.
Outfielders—Murray, Joe Delehanty, Barry and House.
Utility Players—Shaw, Wolters and Burnett.

Pittsburg.

Manager—FRED CLARKE.
Catchers—Gibson, Phelps and Smith.
Pitchers—Camnitz, Duggleby, Leever, Leifield, Maddox, Phillippe and Willis.
First Base—Swacina.
Second Base—Abstaterbib.
Third Base—Storke.
Shortstop—Wagner.
Outfielders—Clarke, Leach and Anderson.
Utility Players—Kane, Shaw and Moeller.

JOE WAGNER TO BOX JIMMY WALSH TONIGHT

Joe Wagner of New York, who has been clamoring for a year or more for a match with Jimmy Walsh, will get his chance with the title champion to-night at the Roanoke Club. While Walsh will be the favorite with the greater number of fight fans this evening, there are a number of wise ones that think the lad from New York has more than a look in with the local man.

The full programme is as follows: Young McCarron of Charlestown vs. Charley Walsh of Newton, Kid Russell of Roxbury vs. Kid Shea of Roxbury, special; George Gorham of Charlestown vs. Young Jack Johnson of Barbadoes, Young Peter Jackson of America vs. Eddie Curtis of Philadelphia, Joe Wagner of New York vs. Jimmy Walsh of Boston. It's pretty hard to beat that card in one night. Certain it is Jimmy Walsh will need to be right on the job with this fellow Wagner, and there is no getting away from that.

Wagner shows wonderful improvement as a boxer the past year. His two battles with Delmont, the best offering of one at Thornton, R. I., especially, to say nothing of his easy victories over Bobby Tickle and Napoleon Dufresne, are enough to class him as a worthy foeman of Walsh.

While the Walsh-Wagner bout is the big thing in the fans' eyes to-night, there are four other mills on the programme that are good enough to make a show worth looking at alone. The boys taking part are all capable of giving plenty of action and some great contests will be added to the pugilistic history of the Roanoke Club.

SAYS BURNS WOULD INSIST THAT JOHNSON BE FIXED

BY TAD.

Tom O'Rourke thinks that Jeff Tommy Burns is getting ready to pull off another neat trick on the public in this proposed match with Jack Johnson in England.

"That fellow has no more chance of beating Johnson than I have," said the stout promoter with the London accent, as he sat back and smiled, the other day in New York. "He's going to send Johnson over, there and then either make him agree to box a draw fight or let him come back here again. He figures to fool the English first and then, come back here and get a bigger purse. I tell you Burns will never get into the ring with Johnson unless he is shown a lot of consideration by Jack.

"How do you figure him giving Johnson $5,000, grin, loss or draw? He wants some interest, you know, and is not overlooking any of it. He can't make any money over there now with all those bums, you know. The people are sick of such fights as Palmer and Moir put up, and now Burns is going to make his getaway and have a fat wad before he does."

Frank Gotch walked in as O'Rourke was finishing his spiel and the two started to kid one another concerning the Gotch-Rogers wrestling bout. O'Rourke offered to fight Rogers against Gotch after the wrestling. At "talk" nailed, looked over at Tom and said:

"Is he got any word with the gloves?"

"Well," said O'Rourke, "he's no wonder, you know."

Gotch laughed and replied: "Well, if you'll give me your word for it that he can't fight a lick, why I'll take him on."

They strung along for fully an hour and finally fixed up the wrestling bout. Gotch has agreed to throw Rogers five times in an hour or less.

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Just where those side bets that Tommy Burns says he has on all those English bouts are on the level or not is a question. Three or four English writers have doubted it, and the last kick is the following:

"It is extremely improbable that the upper lobotry of the (Burns vs. Palmer) match will ever see daylight, and perhaps it is just as well for it would be a sordid story at the best. Here we have a man at 8 and well, presumably, boxing for a clean stake, and yet refusing to make the slightest effort to win that money. It would be interesting to know who found the money for Palmer, and what their views are on the matter. Burns' actions deserve no praise as a rule, content to lose large sums of money without making at least a strong verbal protest, yet I have not heard any grumbles from the Northern sportsmen who accompanied Palmer to the scene of the contest."—Weekly Dispatch.

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Phil Jawn O'Brien is full of indignation. A paper printed a letter, signed with his name, and in it the writer offered to stop either Burns or Johnson in six rounds. Here is a wire which arrived from Jawn:

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 27.

Tad:

Lester appearing in a New York morning paper purporting to be from me over my name absolutely false and untrue. Plainly make denial, placing me in a right light before the public. Am to meet Jack Bonner Monday night. Will then talk business with Johnson, Burns, Kaufman, or any other heavyweight living. "JACK O'BRIEN."

CY MORGAN IS FAST GETTING INTO TRIM

Special to the Boston American.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 2.—The Boston Americans did a good morning's work, notwithstanding the weather was inclement. Sunday was Summer like and the visitors took several strolls over the reservation.

Pitcher Tannehill's shoulder is getting in good condition again, but he is taking no chances of ever exerting himself. Harry's leg is hindering up and there seems to be no doubt that he will open the season in good trim.

Cy Morgan is surprising all the boys. His pitching is elicifting many favorable comments. Carrigan and Criger are also coming to the front rapidly.

Jack Griffin of the Yankees left for Atlanta; Kid Elberfeld also left to-day for Memphis, Tenn., on a short visit.

Hugh Jennings and the Tigers will arrive to-night.

HOLY CROSS WON'T PLAY WILLIAMS

WORCESTER, March 2.—Williams and Holy Cross Colleges will not meet on the gridiron next Fall. Representatives of the two colleges could not agree upon a date, and as a result will not continue their relations in football. Other branches of sports between the two institutions, according to present indications, are likely to be affected. They renewed football relations last year after a lapse of several years.

Sporting News Briefly Told

INDIAN FOR KENTUCKIANS.

CARLISLE, Pa., March 2.—William J. Gardner, last year's famous Carlisle Indian football end, has signed to coach the Louisville Du Pont Manual Training High School team, Kentucky's leading prep. team, this Fall. Gardner had several college offers, but Louisville gave him a record contract for high school work.

LYNCH DEFEATS MORAN.

NEW ORLEANS, March 2.—Jimmy Lynch of Boston was given the decision over Eddie Moran of Chicago at the end of their ten-round go before the Young Men's Gymnastic Club here, after having outpointed his opponent from the first round.

DOUGLAS GETS GOLD RACQUET.

TUXEDO PARK, N. Y., March 2.—J. Gordon Douglas of the New York Racquet and Tennis Club won the gold racquet championship by defeating F. F. Belland. He is anxious to meet Deshler, Sidney or Quill at some Boston club.

ATHLETICS WIN FIRST.

NEW ORLEANS, March 2.—Connie Mack had out his regular team against the locals in the first game of the season, and won out, 4 to 1, in the third inning, largely through the Pelicans' errors. Jimmy Collins put up a good game at third.

TIE IN CUE TOURNEY.

The fourth week of the Class C amateur billiard tournament at the Hub Palace finds Johnny Crompton and Campbell tied for the lead. Neither has yet been defeated. Dr. Maynard and Kuokes will play to-night.

CRACK FIVES TO MEET.

The managers of the East Boston A. A. and East Boston C. L. A. basketball teams are arranging a series of games to decide the championship of East Boston. Manager Fitzgerald wishes it to be understood that the team playing at Newburyport this week under the name of East Boston A. A. is not the original team.

JOHNSON'S ULTIMATUM.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Jack Johnson's manager doesn't care to accept the recent offer of an English syndicate to arrange a fight between Johnson and Burns, and says he will not accept any offers from foreign sources save from the National Sporting Club of London.

ASHLEY TO BOX WILLETTE.

NEW BEDFORD, March 2.—George Ashley of Fall River will meet Bill Willette in a fifteen-round bout here to-night. Willette has just left the amateur ranks. Ashley is anxious to meet Deshler, Sidney or Quill at some Boston club.

COTE TO BOX DONOHUE.

NEW YORK, March 2.—New England will be well represented at Brown's Gym to-morrow night, when Young Donahue of Roxbury, and Arthur Cote of Lewiston, Me., meet in the main bout of six rounds.

BATTERS START AT HARVARD.

Batting practice will start at Harvard this afternoon for the first time. The men have been working in the cage for two weeks on batting practice, but this will be the first work with the stick.

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CANADIAN AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES DOUBLE REGULAR RATES.

FAMOUS AUTOISTS TO MEET IN MANY LONG RACES AT ORMOND THIS WEEK

By J. C. KERRISON.

This is the big auto week at Ormond as the races will begin today under the auspices of the Automobile Club of America and the Florida East Coast Automobile Association. Seven races are on the card which are expected to occupy five days, with the sixth day reserved for left-over events and match contests.

The list of events with entries follows:

Event No. 1.—288 miles, open to the world, for the Automobile Club of America's Cup.—W. Gould Brokaw's "40" Panhard, Vanderbilt Cheshire; Hon. Paul Lacroix's "90" Renault; R. W. Buck-ley, Jr.'s "110" B. L. M., R. G. Keiser's "90" Hamilton, H. Lowe's "120" Fiat.

Event No. 2.—128 miles, for gentlemen amateurs only.—W. Gould Brokaw's "40" Panhard; R. W. Buck-ley's "110" B. L. M., Dr. W. M. Stinson's "80" Franklin, H. Lowe's "120" Fiat; R. G. Keiser's "90" Benz, J. M. Gilbert's "90" Packard.

Event No. 3.—100 miles, for Vanderbilt Cup winners.—Hon. Paul Lacroix's "90" Renault; W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.'s "90" Mercedes; Dr. W. M. Stinson's "80" Franklin, W. G. Brokaw's "40" Panhard; Chevalier R. E. Hildebrand's "90" Imperial; Hon. Clarence Mackay's "90" Buckley, Jr.'s "110" B. L. M., Albert Apponyi's "90" Hotchkiss.

Event No. 4.—100 miles, for stock chassis.—W. G. Brokaw's "40" Alco Touring Car and Chevalier R. G. Keiser's "90" Haynes, James Laughead's "90" Overland, R. J. Mahon's "90" Pierce, J. M. Gilbert's "90" Packard.

Event No. 5.—Flying start, for world's championship.—Dr. W. M. Stinson's "80" Renault, "120" Hotchkiss and "120" Fiat, Owners same as given.

Event No. 6.—Two mile a minute trophy race.—Buck-ley's "110" B. L. M., "90" Fiat and Hotchkiss and "120" Christie.

Event No. 7.—Second trial at one mile and one kilometer.—Christie, Fiat, Hotchkiss, Haynes, Franklin and B. L. M. cars.

The drivers of the high power cars will be: R. Hilsey (Christie), W. Cottier (Fiat), M. G. Herrin (Renault), H. B. Shorter (Hotchkiss), R. G. Keiser (Benz), (B. L. M.), L. J. Bergdoll (Benz) and J. B. Krall (Fiat).

Cars to be eligible for the sprint races at the end of the programme must cover a distance of 100 miles at an average speed of sixty miles an hour in one of the long races at the beginning of the week.

The little town of East Greenbush, near Albany, has recently been raised to a position of peculiar prominence in automobile circles by view of the legal battle being waged between over eighty of the town authorities to maintain a speed trap for the detection of motorists. It is said that the question of the right of the town to maintain auto speed traps has never been passed upon by the courts, it having been taken for granted that the town had such power. In view of the interest with which speed traps have been established by law conscientious officials in addition that such efforts to arrest motorists usually arouse, the East Greenbush case is attracting widespread interest.

This particular case has been brought into the courts by Bender & Hassett of Albany, who instituted action for waste on behalf of two taxpayers of the town of East Greenbush against Jesse J. Van Ness, a justice of the peace of the town. In the year 1906 the Town Board of East Greenbush passed a resolution authorizing, or purporting to authorize, the justice to establish and maintain a speed trap on the Columbia turnpike. The funds to pay the expense of the trap were taken from moneys imposed upon those who exceeded the speed limit.

The taxpayers assert that the funds received as fines belong to the town, and that the town has not the power to expend the same for the purpose of maintaining a speed trap.

Two more entries have been made for the 360-mile stock car race at Savannah, Ga., on March 19, one by Hugh Chalmers, a Detroit manufacturer, and an Acme six cylinder runabout. This brings the actual entries for the race to six cars, the number listed being two Apperson "Jackrabbits" and one Isotta-Fraschini car. Several other entries for this race are said to be in the mails.

For the two races at 180 miles on March 21 there are entries of Joseph A. Tremper, Hotchkiss, Thomas-Detroit and Haynes-Apperson cars, with others in the mails. It is understood that the lists, which were to have closed today, will be extended with within a few days of the races.

Governor Hoke Smith of Georgia has issued a formal order to the Sheriff and about Savannah, thus complying with the formalities necessary to a thorough patrol of the roads for the races. The recording and telephoning about the course will be in the hands of the signal corps detailed for that service and will be done with military precision and thoroughness. The banking of the turns on the course has been almost completed, and several of the racing cars are now training on the roads of the course.

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J. O. Heinz, Jr., of the Heinz Electric Company, Lowell, has been approached by a number of automobile dealers who have decided to form a new association. The new club will hold their annual meeting in Boston early in March, and the formation has been suggested to deliver a talk to the members by Professor Charles Cadwell of Technology, Boylston street, Tuesday evening March 10. A similar invitation has been extended to the members of the Bay State Automobile Association.

It goes without saying that this talk will be very interesting, as Mr. Heinz is considered an authority on this subject and has invented and manufactured devices which controller manufacturers. He will show during his talk on this subject.

FINAL TEST FOR 6-DAY RACERS AT PARK RINK

STANDING OF TEAMS IN SIX DAY RACE

	Miles.	Laps.
Costello-Costello	91	1
Hermanus-O'Connell	90	10
White-Spicer	90	10
Jackson-Chappell	90	10
Sheridan-Russell	90	8
Matthews-Orth	90	3
Fox-Baker	90	2
Foley-Bette	90	1
Clarkson-Haggerty	90	2
Sullivan-White	89	2
Elrich-Ferguson	82	2

All primed for the last relay in the six-day skate race are the bunch of eleven amateur teams at the Park Square Rink who have been fighting it out every night for a week.

The Costello brothers make up the only team which has been able to hold its own and not get lapped, but the race is not over yet nor by the other ten teams. Only one lap separates the leaders and the second team, while two are tied for third position.

The day of rest before the final stab has done a lot of good to the teams which felt the strain and they will be on hand to bang the speed out on the last chance to make good.

Any slip-up in to-night's going will be fatal for the team which meets with an accident, and when the last bell is sounded get a tumble on the slippery surface and the racers will be down on their uppers. But amateur-like the best of the battle will be too strong for many of them and they will take desperate chances to get up near the front and have it out with the Costellos.

There never has been a long race on the rink floor where the competition was so keen. Every night some sensational shake-up will be forthcoming. What the wind up will be can only be surmised after the results witnessed in the fray to-night.

The Braintree pair, composed of Hermanus and O'Connell, are particularly anxious to break even with the Costello boys and would surely be up and away footing but for an accident. They have made up much lost distance that Costellos are expected to make a big effort to tie the leader to-night.

GEORGE GANO A 2-MINUTE PACER

"George Gano (2), 2:24¼, is a wonderfully fast pacer, and with a fair break of luck I am sure he is sure to go down as one of better some day," says Trainer Joe Rhea, the man who developed George Gano and the same year worked him a mile in 2:14¼, regarding the son of Cassbetta Wilkes that "Long Shot" Cox recently paid $7,500 for under the hammer.

Getting the pacer Rhea believes was a good move for Cox, as he is known as a handler of trotters and pacers who win every. It will be remembered how last season in Columbus George Gano was timed in his race in 2:03¾, 2:04¼ and 2:05¼, a feat never before accomplished by a green pacer in a race.

NEW TIMBER FOR FALL RIVER.

FALL RIVER, March 2.—The Fall River nine has a new pitcher, Patrick Lennon, of New Jersey. Several other new players have been engaged.

BROWNE PROMISES TO SLUG.

George Browne says he will hit over .300 for the Beavers this year, and there is a pretty fair chance that he will do it.

BREWSTER HAS LOCATED AT RACE TRACK

Trainer Brewster has taken stalls at the Greendale track in Worcester. He has Megaphone, 2:07¼, and the green pacer owned by Galliteo Rex. The former is the property of Frank Amiden, but has been leased to James H. Quinn for the year, who also owns the green trotter mentioned.

Bob Fever is at the track, but has nothing in his stable of much account now. Babe Morgan, 2:09¼, is going to Spring field. The erratic old mare Mary, 2:16¾, that A. B. Mason gave away to Herman Smith, Attleboro, is in foal to Senmance. Dr. A. E. Rockwell's Lady Bertha, by Chimes, is in foal to the same stallion.

Ashmaid, 2:18¾, that Jack Kinney used to race around the local tracks, is now owned in Worcester by J. E. Snyder, who drives her around the city streets on the speedway. She is twenty-two years old, and a credit to Spring field. The Canary Georgs P. King, the horse expert, has been in Boston long enough to stock up on new material, causing him to hop around on one leg.

H. B. Field, the well-known trainer and driver, who put Dan Patch through his records, Hamburg Wilkes, 2:11½, and Alming Gossip, their early races over New England tracks, is now residing in Worcester tat, and being a motorman he has not much time left the public to point to his holding his present position after the season for the opening of the race track.

T. T. Taylor, the oldest son of R. C. Taylor, the wealthy real estate owner, who has a string of horses at the farm of Quinsigmond and is breeding a few good trotters and is liable to be found on the sport heavier later on. Valence, 2:12¾, Montrose Maid, has been owned by two fools for him, one by Todd, 2:14¾, one by Peter the Great, 2:07¾, and two by Achille, 2:15¾.

JIM PARR WILL TACKLE BARNES

Two of the most scientific wrestlers in the world will clash at the Columbia one day night at the Columbia when the Parr-Barnes bout is pulled off. Jim Barnes, the American champion middleweight, is not at, is one of the most finished performers that ever grappled and is so far ahead of his rivals that he is forced to play the heavyweight division to get matches. Very few of the lightweights and middleweights attempt him, and those who have seen him in a recent match will tell Gotch say that he is really but little more than a middleweight, and not very much heavier than Barnes. The two ought to make a corking good bout, in which some pretty work is bound to appear.

CHAMP SPRINTER TO RACE.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Dan Kelly, the champion sprinter and 9-5-5 second record holder, has yet to make good in the Metropolis. No one knows this better than Kelly himself. That is why he has accepted a chance to run against Archer, Northridge, and Hall, metropolitan stars, in a special scratch sixty-yard dash at the games of the Sixty-ninth Regiment at the armory to-night. Kelly has been getting himself in shape and hopes to do so, to make a showing that will justify his western reputation.

TRACK MEETS FOR INDIANS.

CARLISLE, Pa., March 2.—Glenn S. Warner, head coach of athletics at the Carlisle Indian School, has announced the following schedule of the field and track events for this Spring:

April 18, annual cross country race; April 28, relay races at Philadelphia; May 2, annual triangular meet; May 9, State College vs. Carlisle; Susquehanna, at State College; May 16, Syracuse University vs. Carlisle Indians, at Ithaca; May 23, triangular meet, Swarthmore, Dickinson and Carlisle Indians, at Carlisle; May 30, intercollegiate State championship meet, at Harrisburg.

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DEATH NOTICES.

ALLEN—In Brookline, Feb. 29, Henrietta Baker, wife of Frank E. Allen, and daughter of Levi and Arabella Lombard.
Funeral on Monday.

ALLISON—In Somerville, Feb. 29, Catherine, wife of James Allison, aged 70 yrs.
Funeral services will be held from her late residence, 11 Cedric st, Tuesday, March 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Cape Cod papers please copy.

BRACKETT—In Somerville, Feb. 29, Andrew D. Brackett, 70 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 12 Broadway (Winter Hill), Tuesday, March 3, at 2 p. m.

BLAKER—In Somerville, Feb. 27, Zella A., daughter of David C. and Stella Mead.
Funeral from her late residence, 9 Pearl st, Acton, Mass., this afternoon, March 2, at 2 o'clock.

CONNORS—In this city, Feb. 29, Ellen, wife of Daniel Connors.
Funeral from her late residence, 56 Warrenton st, Tuesday, March 3, at 8:30 o'clock, thence to St. James's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DONAHUE—In Arlington, Feb. 29, John Donahue, 76 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 1011 Massachusetts av, Arlington, Tuesday, March 3, at 8:30. High mass at St. Agnes's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment at Waverley, Mass.

EATON—In Medfield, Feb. 29, Rev. William Harrison Eaton, 67 yrs.
Funeral services at his residence, 18 Walnut st, Medfield, Tuesday, March 3, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Waverley, Mass.

EDSON—In Scituate, Feb. 29, Mrs. Charlotte A. Edson, widow of James Edson.
Funeral services at Scituate Tuesday, March 3, at 2 o'clock, from James Smith Stanford at 2:45.

FANEUF—In this city, Feb. 29, William, son of John and the late Margaret Haney, 22 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 27 West Lenox st, Tuesday, March 3, at 8:15. High mass at St. Philip's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are kindly invited.

HARRINGTON—In Somerville, Feb. 29, Margaret, daughter of Richard and Margaret Harrington, and sister of Rev. Joseph F. Harrington.
Relatives and friends invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 9 Mossland st, Monday, March 2, at 8:30 a. m.

McDONALD—In East Boston, February 28, Alexander McDonald, aged 68 yrs., husband of Margaret McDonald (nee Burns).
Funeral from his late residence, 9 Chelsea pl, East Boston, Tuesday, March 3, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Mary of the Most Holy Redeemer at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

O'BRIEN—In West Quincy, Feb. 29, John A. Beloved husband of Ellen (Cahill) O'Brien, aged 46 yrs., 2 mos., 14 da.
Funeral from his late residence, 31 Bates av, Tuesday, March 3, at 8:30. Services at St. Ann's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment at Mount Hope Cemetery.

TAYLOR—In West Somerville, Feb. 28, Mary, widow of John Taylor, 80 yrs.
Funeral services will be held at her late home, 23 Bow st, Monday, March 2, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited.

WHITE—In Waverly, Mass., Monday, March 2, at 2 p. m.

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HELP WANTED—Female.

GIRLS WANTED AT ONCE

TO LEARN DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY COME NOW FOR POSITIONS.

We teach everything in dressmaking, including designing, cutting and making of all kinds of garments, and millinery, including making and trimming of hats, bonnets, etc. Our system is straw, chiffon, felt and velvet work and finishing materials. Our system is the best and most perfect system; the latest style cost, suit, shirt waist, fancy waist, skirt, etc. Our system is different, will make your dressmaking easy verbal instructions. Call or write for catalogue. MCDOWELL'S SCHOOL, 23 Winter st.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

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BAKER—Young German wants a steady job in bakery; can furnish best of references; strictly temperate; city or country. C 74, Boston American.

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CHAUFFEUR—Have been running large touring car for 2 years; a steady, sober, reliable young man; best of references, first-class cook, butler, waiter; will go anywhere. H. E. 60, Hotel Touraine, Boston.

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AN EXPERIENCED young lady desires care of invalid lady or light housework or chamber work in private family. 2 Boston Main. L. G. H., 237 Cambridge st., Boston.

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75 ACRES, 1½ miles to station on main line; pasture, mowing and tillage; 2½ miles to town house, 10 ft. barn and other outbuildings; fruit; 2 wells; price $2,500; terms easy. Dept. 4, F. P. LELAND, 113 Devonshire st.

FARM CIRCULAR

DESCRIBING farm bargains throughout New England, sent free on special request. Dept. 4, F. P. LELAND, 113 Devonshire st., Boston.

IF YOUR LOOKING for a small village home with some land, near enough to Boston to travel back and forth, that you can build interest you the price, $1,600, is right and terms are easy; 2 acres of good land, with house, barn and other buildings; for those who raise their own vegetables and small fruits, this is a rare opportunity; 7 rooms and bath; hardwood; buildings are in good repair; electric cars pass the door; steam railroad station within 5 minutes; electric cars in 30 minutes from Boston. BRIGGS & SON, 1 Beacon st., Boston.

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FURNISHINGS and business for sale, cause of selling, sickness; 30 rooms; rent $30; price $1,800; duplicate cannot be found in Maine. Will furnish proof that business for past year averages $1,000 per month, illness of owner compels sale. Address Box 1, Bethel, Maine. (Since 1907), business and furnishings well worth $2,500. Will sell for $1,800 cash. Apply to owner, 29 Washington st., Bethel, Maine. Immediate possession in 24 hours. EDWARD P. MAYO, 29 Washington st., Bethel, Me.

BEACON HALL—Lodging house, 14 rooms, well furnished; rent $100; price $1,000 or best offer; sickness. HAYDEN.

HANCOCK, ST.—21 rooms, modern heat, rent $1,000; price $10,000. HAYDEN & BOWEN CO.

$150—LUNCH, H. S. counter, man and wife; permanent. 54 H. MONROE, 724 Washington st.

$250—LUNCH four miles out, plenty of business; rent $20. SIMONDS, 1 Boylston pl.

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DAY'S WORK wanted by cook or cook, MRS. JOHNSON, 31 Hull st.

HOUSEKEEPER—An American woman desires position as housekeeper in a gentleman's home; 2, 671 Mass. av., Boston, Mass.

HOUSEKEEPER—Woman wanted in lodging house or take charge of old couple, or seamstress; good home; wages no object. Address MRS. STEVENS, 4 Marlowe st., Roxbury.

HOUSEKEEPER—Position wanted by middle-aged woman, best of references, first-class cook, baker, laundress; would like to go to the country. H. E. 60, Hotel Touraine, Boston.

HOUSEKEEPER or matron by elderly couple; or care of a lodging house; MRS. RICHSTEIN, 1 Bay View st., Dorchester.

LADY would like home work in writing, addressing envelopes, typewriting, etc.; at 860, Boston American.

POSITION WANTED as housekeeper or housekeeper could do general housework. MRS. LOUISE HAMMERLE, 1 Bay View st., Dorchester.

SWEDISH WOMAN wants washing to take home; good worker. MRS. HERBERT, 54 Auburn st., Woburn.

SITUATION or any kind of work wanted by a first-class jeweler; repairing done. A 600, Boston American.

WANTED—A position by a retired Prot. lady of high standing; would like position as matron in small family. GRACE HARRISON, Gen. Del., Fall River, Mass.

WANTED—Bundle washing or a few hours' work in private family. Call or write, 73 Arnold st., Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper, with children; or out; no letters. MRS. W. S. WEBER, 31 Bay State rd., Boston.

WOMAN wants work by day or hour, in city or country. MRS. DAVIS, 1 Bay View st., Dorchester.

WANTED—Work by the day or hour, cleaning of house; 2 days a week. 2 Boston American.

YOUNG COLORED WOMAN would desire a position of any kind; will work from 9 to 3 in a suite. Address S. S., No. 2 Haven st., city.

CASH REGISTERS

EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE **BOSTON AMERICAN** BOSTON, MARCH 2, 1908

THE BOSTON AMERICAN

80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, MARCH 2, 1908

How to Practice Writing

Practice on Editors, of Course, and About as Follows

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Some Young Men's Christian Association members in a "literary course" ask for advice about literary work. They ask especially, "How can we get **PRACTICE** in writing? How can we get things **PUBLISHED** and improve ourselves by criticising our own work in print?"

This is the answer: **PRACTICE ON THE EDITORS**: write them letters of the right kind. You can select all sorts of subjects, and, with tact, get your writing gratefully accepted and see it in print.

For instance, write to the New York Sun about this way (variations in flavor to suit your taste):

To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir—Like all other Americans, I am amazed at your single-minded devotion to the people. In a land where Wall Street exercises much power, where so many editors see through plutocratic glasses, it is comforting to see ONE newspaper standing by the plain, old-fashioned journalism of Horace Greeley and Charles A. Dana (his younger period).

Is it correct to say: "Everybody seen the ghost BUT HE"? Or should one say: "Everybody EXCEPT HER seen the ghost"

A man in our city named Ruff Whiskers married a girl named Ima Barber. Is that worthy of mention in the Sun's bright column? Yours, etc.

The Sun has printed letters like that for many years. print yours if you send it in.

To the Boston Transcript you might write this way (changing your display of erudition from time to time):

Sir—Asinus asinum grattat, or, to put it otherwise, palmam qui meruit ferat. I denied this at the Puritan Club this morning. Que diable allait il faire dons cet galere? was my question. A member whose name would be instantly recognized as that of an authority replied that he did not know. I read your editorial opinions, sir, with care, and I realize your power to illuminate in your own person the statement, "gegen Dumheit Kaempfen Goetter sellest Vergebens." Is it not possible to take the ballot from the ignorant masses that think in only one language? When will ours become a gentleman's country?

They will print THAT in the Transcript.

Study other papers, the vanity of their editors, and you will find it easy to see your writing in print. Here's one more suggestion:

To the Editor of the **BOSTON AMERICAN**:

Many say that you write rag-time, not English. I don't care. I answer: "Then give us more rag-time." I know from personal observation that you are the only friend the American people, **OR ANY OTHER PEOPLE**, ever had. I must say that each of your editorials for the last ten years has been the best in the world. I counted nine hundred thousand men and women reading the **BOSTON AMERICAN** in one street car last evening. I say to my wife when she cries because Washington and Lincoln are dead, "Don't you care; the **BOSTON AMERICAN** is a live one, and easily takes the place of all." Very truly,

WAGE-EARNER.

You can practice on **ALL** editors, if you know how.

CARNEGIE AS A MUCK-RAKER

Read What He Says About Railroad Monopolies

Andrew Carnegie, writing in the Century Magazine for March, says this:

"The Pennsylvania Railroad had a monopoly of the traffic, and much grievous wrong had we manufacturers in that State to suffer in consequence."

This is from Andrew Carnegie. Certainly, Mr. Carnegie will not be accused by Mr. Mellen of wild-eyed radicalism.

And yet there are business men in **New England** to-day who are permitting Mr. Mellen to establish a railroad monopoly here and are doing nothing whatever to prevent it.

It is time for such men to **WAKE UP**, sign the following blank and send it to the Massachusetts Anti-Merger League.

MASSACHUSETTS ANTI-MERGER LEAGUE
743 Old South Building, Boston, Mass.

GENTLEMEN:

You may enroll my name as a member of the MASSACHUSETTS ANTI-MERGER LEAGUE, it being understood that there is no expense attached to my membership.

Name .....

Occupation .....

Street and Number .....

Town .....

Indorsed by Union Labor

INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF BLACKSMITHS AND HELPERS.
Local Union No. 344.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:
Dear Sir—At the last regular meeting of Blacksmiths' Helpers' Union No. 344, held on February 25, it was unanimously voted to indorse the Typographical Union support of the **BOSTON AMERICAN**. Sincerely yours,
AXEL R. ANDERSON, Secretary.
Boston, Feb. 26, 1908.

Little Editorials from the People

WHY WOMEN LOSE RESPECT

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Your editorial on women smoking in public was read by me with much appreciation. Will you not write another upon women drinking in public? I may be, and probably am, old-fashioned in my views, but I hold that this vice for eating and drinking in hotels and restaurants is destroying the sanctity of the home. Women themselves are the cause of the lack of respect in man's treatment of them to-day. When they appear in public places with painted faces and otherwise disfiguring the features of the face that God gave them destroyed, and with loss of identity goes loss of respect for what is best in womanhood. AN OLD-FASHIONED WOMAN.

MEN FOR THE ARMY

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Seeing an article referring to the shortage of officers in the United States Army, I would like to say that there are any number of young men who would be glad of the opportunity to go to West Point, but who know little or nothing about the way to go about getting an appointment or the requirements necessary.

H. H. HAGER.

OVER THE HILLS TO THE "IN BAD CLUB"

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WHITE HOUSE
TAKE 'EM AWAY! ONE IS AS BAD AS THE OTHER!
TO THE IN BAD CLUB
CHEE! WHEN SHALL WE T'REE MEET AGAIN!
HAS IT COME TO THIS?
IDLE RICH.
HOBO
COME ON, YOU'RE BOTH PINCHED!
CHIEF OF POLICE
THEATER DOOR USHER
E. OPPER

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

THEY DO IT ON $13 PER

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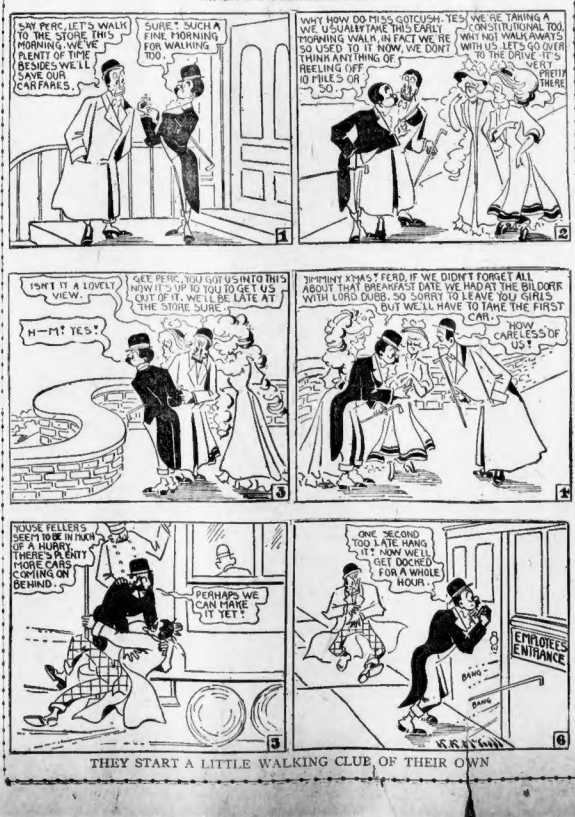
SAY PERC, LET'S WALK TO THE STORE, THIS MORNING, WE'VE PLENTY OF TIME BESIDES WE'LL SAVE OUR CARFARES.
SURE! SUCH A FINE MORNING FOR WALKING TOO.
WHY HOW DO MISS GOTCUSH, YES WE USUALLY TAKE THIS EARLY MORNING WALK, IN FACT WE'RE SO USED TO IT NOW, WE DON'T THINK ANYTHING OF REELING OFF 10 MILES OR SO.
WE'RE TAKING A CONSTITUTIONAL TOO, WHY NOT WALK AWAYS WITH US, LET'S GO OVER TO THE DRIVE, IT'S VERY PRETTY THERE
ISN'T IT A LOVELY VIEW.
GEE PERC, YOU GOT US INTO THIS NOW IT'S UP TO YOU TO GET US OUT OF IT, WE'LL BE LATE AT THE STORE SURE.
H—M? YES?
JIMMINY XMAS! FERD, IF WE DIDN'T FORGET ALL ABOUT THAT BREAKFAST DATE WE HAD AT THE BILDORF WITH LORD DUBB. SO SORRY TO LEAVE YOU GIRLS BUT WE'LL HAVE TO TAKE THE FIRST CAR.
HOW CARELESS OF US!
'HOUSE FELLERS SEEM TO BE IN SUCH A HURRY, THERE'S PLENTY MORE CARS COMING ON BEHIND.
PERHAPS WE CAN MAKE IT YET!
ONE SECOND TOO LATE HANG IT! NOW WE'LL GET DOCKED FOR A WHOLE HOUR.
EMPLOYEES ENTRANCE
BANG
BANG
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THEY START A LITTLE WALKING CLUB OF THEIR OWN

The Popular Short Story

BY WEX JONES

THE NORTH

GREAT flakes of snow were falling as relentlessly and silently as bullets from a Maxim soundless gun.

Ever and anon, and sometimes in between, Pierre Lapage looked anxiously at the heavens, only to receive a snowflake in the eye.

"Sacrrrrrre—" muttered Pierre, striding with renewed speed along the fast-disappearing trail which led to the village of Champlain. No wonder Pierre hurried. He was to marry Rose Casserole at 6 o'clock that evening, and it was now 5:30, with twenty long miles to be traversed and the snow falling, falling like Inter-Met.

What was to be done? The North had hardened its heart against this solitary voyageur, and what can one man do against the Great White World?

But Pierre did not give up. Chopping down a tree with his knife, he hastily constructed a rough sled, and pulled himself rapidly over the snow. Fifteen miles from the village he captured a large moose and hitched it to the sled with a string of strong French words. Then he clambered up a tree and obtained a large Canadian lynx, which he held behind the moose, the terrified brute leaping forward like an airship.

Thus Pierre arrived in Champlain at 6:01, just in time to prevent Rose from becoming Mrs. Jacques Cartier. "I thought you weren't coming," explained Rose simply.

And up in the Lapage cottage they will show you the moose head upon the wall as proof of Grandpa Pierre's famous ride.

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THE SOUTH

JUANITA was very beautiful!

Not one of the young men in the Mexican village but loved her. Every evening one might be found at her window serenading her in passionate song. Not on many consecutive evenings, however, would it be the same caballero, for Juanita's cousin, Francisco, had a way of remonstrating with a knife, and the little cemetery was already becoming uncomfortably crowded.

One evening a new voice rang out beneath Juanita's window. It melted in the tender love-song of Old Mexico, "Tamale Mia," and Juanita's cousin looked out in time to see Juanita drop a rose to the singer.

"Carramba!" hissed Francisco. "It is that American. I will kill him!" And the fiery Mexican proceeded to sharpen his knife on a pat of butter.

The following evening Francisco heard the strains of "Tamale Mia" beneath Juanita's window. Knife in hand, he crept around the corner and threw himself upon the singer.

It was a phonograph.

The Americano fell upon the start Francisco and bound him hand and foot, and then the other hand and the other foot.

Juanita is now the rich Americano's wife and Francisco works upon the Americano's rubber plantation. He is the best rubberer they have.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

A Noble Enterprise of One Labor Union

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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NEAR Colorado Springs, Col., the International Typographical Union maintains a home for aged of both sexes in Southern California. In speaking of this matter he says:

I would like to see established a place where the rough places of life can be smoothed for those old couples, and I have in mind a plan that would let them end their days in peace, viz.: Secure forty acres of land (which can be laid out into 240 lots, each 40x140 feet) and erect a number of cottages thereon to be used by such people. The International Typographical Union could be induced to maintain the place if it only could be started.

The cost would be about as follows to make a beginning: Forty acres of land, with water (say), $250.00; twenty cottages, $10,000; superintendent's cottage, office building, water mains, grading, trees, shrubs, plants, etc., $10,000; total, $40,000.

Of course, the price of the land might be more or less, and other cottages would be added by the organization as needed.

In this way a place could be provided for the old man and his wife, and also offer a place of refuge for the widow and her minor children.

An educational campaign extending over several years would probably bring the union to the point where it would establish such a "home." But I think it might be possible to interest some persons or persons who would be willing to furnish the money to make the start. I have suggested (on the assurance that the place would be properly maintained by the International Typographical Union), and thus get the place started in less time than would be required for the campaign of education.

Work of Union Printers

ALL of the money for buildings and maintenance has been raised from union printers by contributions and assessments, except $5,000 each contributed by George W. Childs and A. J. Drexel and $1,046 from the estate of Julia A. Ladd of Shirley, Mass.

There are now at the Home 150 residents, and since its establishment nearly 1,200 applications for admission have been acted upon. The average cost to the organization, per resident, is about $38 monthly for a service that is first class in every respect.

The expenses are met by a monthly assessment of 10 cents on each member of the International Typographical Union, and the Home is absolutely free to its residents. It has been well said of the Home that "its bounty is unpurchasable; its charity without price."

Ideal Site for Home

Southern California is an ideal location for such an institution as is here outlined. The climate is mild and even; bonnets prevails about forty-eight weeks of the year, and the other four weeks are early in the spring. The cost for buildings would be a great deal less than in a more severe climate, and the guests could enjoy outdoor life nearly every day in the year.

The idea appeals to me strongly. The sorrows of the old are full of tragedy and pathos. The homeless old people of any land are a discredit and shame to the government. In New Zealand the old age pension provides a fund for the homeless and helpless aged men and women of the land. This, too, was the result of the labor unions' effort to better the condition of humanity.

It is to be hoped that some philanthropist will come to the aid of Mr. Ralph Criswell and help him to establish his homes for the aged.

God speed the movement!

Help Aged Wives

THE only fault to be found in the matter is—no provision is made for the helpmeet of a member of the union who goes to the Home. Any member of the organization (male or female) may go to the Home if incapacitated from labor on account of old age or sickness.

But many a man who is eligible to admission to the Home declines to embrace the opportunity to spend his declining years in ease because it will take him from the side of his wife, with whom he has fought the battle of life for many years.

Ralph L. Criswell of the Los Angeles branch of the Typographical Union now proposes to build a home for the aged of both sexes in Southern California. In speaking of this matter he says:

I would like to see established a place where the rough places of life can be smoothed for those old couples, and I have in mind a plan that would let them end their days in peace, viz.: Secure forty acres of land (which can be laid out into 240 lots, each 40x140 feet) and erect a number of cottages thereon to be used by such people. The International Typographical Union could be induced to maintain the place if it only could be started.

The cost would be about as follows to make a beginning: Forty acres of land, with water (say), $250.00; twenty cottages, $10,000; superintendent's cottage, office building, water mains, grading, trees, shrubs, plants, etc., $10,000; total, $40,000.

Of course, the price of the land might be more or less, and other cottages would be added by the organization as needed.

In this way a place could be provided for the old man and his wife, and also offer a place of refuge for the widow and her minor children.

An educational campaign extending over several years would probably bring the union to the point where it would establish such a "home." But I think it might be possible to interest some persons or persons who would be willing to furnish the money to make the start. I have suggested (on the assurance that the place would be properly maintained by the International Typographical Union), and thus get the place started in less time than would be required for the campaign of education.

Ideal Site for Home

Southern California is an ideal location for such an institution as is here outlined. The climate is mild and even; bonnets prevails about forty-eight weeks of the year, and the other four weeks are early in the spring. The cost for buildings would be a great deal less than in a more severe climate, and the guests could enjoy outdoor life nearly every day in the year.

The idea appeals to me strongly. The sorrows of the old are full of tragedy and pathos. The homeless old people of any land are a discredit and shame to the government. In New Zealand the old age pension provides a fund for the homeless and helpless aged men and women of the land. This, too, was the result of the labor unions' effort to better the condition of humanity.

It is to be hoped that some philanthropist will come to the aid of Mr. Ralph Criswell and help him to establish his homes for the aged.

God speed the movement!